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From left: A US soldier points a gun at a passenger at Kabul airport; travellers enter Pakistan through the Chaman border; a Taliban fighter sits on the back of a vehicle with a machine gun in front of the main gate leading to the presidential palace; people climb atop a plane as they wait at Kabul airport | AFP/ PTI

Don't abandon Afghans, UN urges world leaders

United Nations Secretary General Antonio Guterres on Monday said the world cannot abandon the people of Afghanistan. "All of us have seen images in real time. We urge all parties especially Taliban to protect lives. The world cannot abandon people of Afghanistan."

Taliban not to interfere in US evacuation operations

The Taliban has agreed to the US demand not to interfere with the US military's evacuation operations at the Kabul airport, reports said. Top US commander for West Asia General Frank McKenzie got the militia to agree to such a pact during the Doha consultation, reports added

Washington Post's SOS to Biden to save journalists

Washington Post publisher Fred Ryan on Monday sent an urgent plea, on behalf of the New York Times, Wall Street Journal and Washington Post, to US National Security advisor Jake Sullivan to help get "204 journalists, support staff and families" to safety

'Shackles of slavery' broken, says Pak PM Imran Khan

Hailing the Taliban for helping Afghans break the "shackles of slavery", Pakistan Prime Minister Imran Khan on Monday said becoming a mental slave was worse than being an actual slave, adding that subjugated minds can never make big decisions

MEA sets up special cell to coordinate repatriation

The Ministry of External Affairs has set up a special cell to coordinate repatriation and other requests from Afghanistan, MEA spokesperson Arindam Bagchi said.
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FEAR AND DESPERATION

10 killed in Kabul airport evacuation chaos, three of them dropping off flights that took off; US rushes more troops; IAF plane in Kabul to bring back 200 Indians

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE

A day after the Taliban captured Kabul, the Afghan capital on Monday witnessed utter chaos with hundreds of people thronging the airport in a desperate bid to get out of the country. Videos of scores of people running on the tarmac and others clinging on to the body of a US Air Force plane taxiing to take off captured the extent of desperation among the locals. There were other videos of people swarming parked planes and clambering onto them. A stampede at the airport following firing by US Marines to shoo away the locals ended up killing at least seven people, reports said.

Three other Afghan nationals fell to their death from the sky as they were clinging to a US Air Force plane when it took off. The horror was caught on videos that went viral.

Airports operations had to be briefly halted as crowds became unmanageable with some people even trying to block the runway to stop planes from taking off without them.

As the Afghan airspace remains shut for commercial flights, India said it is monitoring the situation closely and will do everything in its power to ensure the safety and security of its citizens and assets in Afghanistan.

"We are aware there are still some Indian nationals in Afghanistan who wish to return and we are in touch with them," said Ministry of External Affairs Spokesperson Arindam Bagchi.

He added that New Delhi is in touch with the representatives of Afghan Sikh and Hindu communities. "We will facilitate repatriation to India of those who wish to leave Afghanistan. There are also a number of Afghans who have been our partners in the promotion of our mutual developmental, educational and people to people endeavours. We will stand by them," he said and added that the repatriation will start after commercial operations begin.

The spokesperson's comments come at a time when sources said that a special Indian Air Force C-17 plane has been dispatched to Kabul to bring back around 200 Indians, including diplomats and their families, and 100 ITBP personnel. The plane is scheduled to return by 10 pm on Friday.

Over 60 countries have issued a joint statement saying Afghans and foreign citizens who want to leave the country must be allowed to depart and border crossings must remain open.

In the United Nations Security Council meeting on Monday, India said the current situation in the war-torn country is of 'great concern'. P9, 12

Govt proposes snooping probe panel

KANU SARDA @New Delhi

THE Centre on Monday proposed to set up an expert panel to go into the entire gamut of Pegasus snoopgate, while declining to give a clear yes or no answer to the question on whether it has procured the spyware, citing security concerns.

In a two-page affidavit filed before a bench headed by Chief Justice of India N V Ramana, the Union information and technology ministry said the petitions demanding a court-monitored probe into the matter are based on conjectures, surmises and unsubstantiated media reports or incomplete or uncorroborated material. The proposed probe committee, it added, would dispel the wrong narratives spread by vested interests.

Solicitor General Tushar Mehta said any discussion or debate on these issues would involve national security. When the bench suggested that the Centre should file a detailed affidavit in the matter, Mehta said, "if your lordships are convinced that this needs to be gone into, then there would be issues of national security." He, however, said the Centre had nothing to hide.

Rebutting the bench's observation that "you do not want to take a stand," Mehta argued that the Centre has already taken its stand in Parliament. The court deferred the hearing for Tuesday while asking Mehta to inform whether he wants to revisit his decision.

On the proposed expert committee, the bench asked as to how a technical committee would check what authorisations were given for use of the spyware; if it was used at all; and who issued permission and the sanction to procure it.

Mehta said the court can invoke its extraordinary power to lay down a mandate for it.

Make tribunal appointments in 10 days: SC

New Delhi: Expressing displeasure at the Centre for not making appointments to various tribunals despite recommendations by the Selection Committee, the Supreme Court on Monday gave it 10 days to do so, or face action. P10

JAB-O-METER

TAKE YOUR SHOT

August 15 **17,43,114 doses**

August 16 **55,85,834 doses**

TOTAL DOSES: 55,14,89,821

NATIONWIDE	AUG 15	AUG 16
Fresh cases	36,083	32,937
Recoveries	37,927	35,909
Deaths	493	417

KARNATAKA	AUG 15	AUG 16
Fresh cases	1,431	1,065
Recoveries	1,611	1,486
Deaths	21	28

SAFETY FIRST IN SCHOOLS
Not more than two students per bench
No sharing of food and water
Written consent from parents to attend physical classes
No meetings, festivals and other activities involving many students
Maintaining 3-6 ft distance from each other mandatory while entering schools. Schools should mark out boxes
A teacher to be made nodal officer to oversee the protocols and submit daily report to the principal
Parents, SDMC members and other visitors have to wear masks; no outsiders allowed inside classrooms
Water to be drained from overhead tanks and sumps, cleaned thoroughly and dried for a day before refilling
Every part of the school must be sanitised

Classes 9, 10 to open half-a-day from Aug 23

PEARL MARIA D'SOUZA @Bengaluru

THE department of public instruction on Monday released protocols for reopening of Classes 9 and 10 from August 23 in districts with less than 2 percent Covid-positivity rate. Students will have classes for half a day for the first few days. The department has drawn out a timetable for offline classes where classes start at 10 am and end by 12.30 pm.

The standard operating procedure for Classes 11 and 12, which are also reopening from August 23, will be announced on Tuesday, officials said.

Offline classes are not compulsory, and students can attend online or other alternative modes of learning, like watching lessons aired on TV. The schools are expected to make arrangements for students not attending physical classes. P2

HC: Grilling Shaheen schoolchildren with firearms a violation

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AFTER looking at photographs of policemen with weapons interrogating children of Shaheen Education Society at Bidar in connection with a sedition case, the Karnataka High Court on Monday observed that prima facie, it is a serious violation of children's rights and directed the State Government to issue orders to ensure such violations do not occur.

The case pertains to a play staged by students of classes 4, 5 and 6 of Shaheen Primary and High School in Bidar on January 21 2020, which allegedly questioned the Citizenship Amendment Act (CAA) and National Registry of Citizens (NRC). The play had also allegedly made a derogatory comment against Prime Minister Narendra Modi. The police later visited the school many times to question the students and teachers.

On Monday, the court ordered the State to submit a report on the action taken against the policemen. Passing the order, the court observed that it is a violation of Section 86(5) of the Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act. P5

Worried Afghan students want to return

AMIT S UPADHYE & MALLIKARJUN HIREMATH @Dharwad

EVEN as dramatic scenes of chaos unfolded at Kabul's Hamid Karzai International Airport after the Taliban took over the Afghan capital, students from the war-torn country who are studying in India are worried about their families and friends back home.

A group of Afghan students at the University of Agricultural Sciences (UAS) in Dharwad has requested the authorities to send them back home so that they can be with their families. But that is next to impossible as there are no fights available and the air space over Kabul has been shut. The anxious students have been constantly calling their families, over the last few days to know about their wellbeing and the situation on the ground.

The students are worried that soon, they may not be able to contact their dear ones as restrictive and ultra-right Taliban may decide to cut the internet and telephone links.

Of the 15 Afghan students studying at UAS Dharwad, five left for Afghanistan about two months ago because of Covid curbs. But 10 students, some of whom are pursuing their PhDs, could not go back. Desperate for help, they have now approached the local police. P7

Our family members had asked us if we could go back. We decided to wait as we are pursuing our studies. Now, things have gone bad for them

Afghan student, UAS Dharwad

GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA
DEPARTMENT OF LABOUR
Karnataka Building & Other Construction Workers Welfare Board
Sri Basavaraj S. Bommai
Hon'ble Chief Minister
Sri Arabail Shivaram Hebbar, Hon'ble Minister of Labour
Addressing the labours during covid-19 pandemic
Karmika Chikitsa Bhagya
Registered Building & Other Construction Workers are eligible for financial assistance of upto Rs. 2,00,000/- under the "Karmika Chikitsa Bhagya" Scheme for treatment of major ailments.
The following Treatment / Diseases are covered:
Heart Operation
Kidney Transplantation
Eye Operation
Paralysis
Uterus Operation
Orthopedics Operation
Miscarriage
Kidney Stone Removal
Gall Bladder Ailments
Brain Hemorrhage
Ulcer
Dialysis
Kidney Related Surgery
ENT Treatment & Surgery
Neurosurgery
Vascular Surgery
Asthma
Esophagus Treatment & Surgery
Gastrointestinal Surgery
Breast Related Treatment and Surgery
Hernia Surgery
Appendix Surgery
Treatment of Factures / Dislocation
General Surgery
Eligibility
Registration should be active.
Documents required
Identity card (Labour Card) issued by the Board.
Application in Form 22(A).
Hospital Bill and Discharge Summary.
Bank Account Details.
Application to be submitted online:
https://serviceonline.gov.in/karnataka/
For more Information Contact: 155214
Labour Officers and Senior Labour Inspectors / Labour Inspectors, Department of Labour
https://karbwwb.karnataka.gov.in /workerswelfare /kbocwwb /workersBoard
DIPR/KBOCWWB/60/2021-22
Let's follow the Covid-19 guidelines and win the battle against Corona
Wear Mask
Wash Hands Frequently
Maintain Social Distancing
Dr. G. Kalpana, IAS, Addl. Chief Secretary to Govt. Department of Labour
Akram Pasha, IAS, Labour Commissioner and C.E.O. of KBOCWWB

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• **Ritu:** Varsha • **Masa:** Sravana • **Paksha:** Sukla • **Tithi:** Dashami 2.12 am
• **Nakshatra:** Jyeshta 1.32 am • Moon in Dhanur Rashi • **Rahukaala:** 03:00 am to 04:30 am
• **Gulikakala:** 12:00 pm to 01:30 pm • **Yamaganda:** 09:00 am to 10:30 am

WEATHER
MIN 20°C | MAX 26°C
FORECAST
Showers late. Overcast

Sunrise 06.07 am
Sunset 06.39 pm
Moonrise 02.04 pm
Moonset 12.47 am

Non-Kannadigas can now learn Kannada, write exam

KDA, Kannada Hampi varsity team up, to develop online module too

ASHWINI M SRIPAD @Bengaluru

TO help non-Kannadigas learn the state's language, the Kannada Development Authority, in association with Kannada University in Hampi, is planning to conduct exams. They are developing textbooks for those who want to learn the language and write exams. An online module will also be developed.

There are a large number of people, especially in Bengaluru, who speak other languages. KDA had earlier initiated classes for non-Kannadigas at their doorsteps, but it couldn't be a reality due to the pandemic. KDA even launched an online portal, but that wasn't a success either.

TS Nagabharana, Chairman, Kannada Development Authority, told TNIE that they are gearing up to make the latest initiative a full-fledged model. "We are collaborating with Kannada University and Central Institute of Indian Languages to develop a prescribed textbook. It will be available online too. We expect it to be ready in six months. A team of experts has met twice and taken the process further," he said.

It will not be mandatory for non-Kannadigas to learn the language or appear for the exams. "The university will conduct the exams and the person who passes gets a certificate," he said. KDA sources said that one needs to know Kannada to apply for government jobs. "Non-Kannadigas who want to apply should pass this exam first," they added.

The Sarojini Mahishi Report had recommended job reservations for Kannadigas in the private sector in Karnataka. Since the State cannot make it mandatory, it amended the Karnataka Industrial Employment Rules, 1961, a few months ago, stressing that priority should be given to Kannadigas in private sector jobs. As per rules, those residing in Karnataka for not less than 15 years and who can write, read, talk and understand Kannada, are eligible to be recruited by private industries for clerical and other jobs.

Tabs in hand, underprivileged kids can now access e-classes

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ONLINE classes became a new normal during the pandemic but many who had no access to the internet or couldn't afford smartphones, had to bear the brunt. It was a similar story for Jhansi B, who was preparing for her Class X boards while struggling to access online classes. Her father is an auto driver and couldn't afford a smartphone. In order to help students like Jhansi, Pramod Srinivas came forward and gave them tablets.

A recent survey by the department of primary and secondary education found that around 33% of the 93.01 lakh students in Karnataka do not have access to devices required to attend online classes.

Looking at this huge lacuna, Pramod, founder of Rashtriya Yuva Prathishtana, an NGO, bought tablets and arranged a hall for some children in Padmanabha Nagar's dhobi ghat, where they can comfortably attend their online classes.

"I saw the plight of children in this locality where parents are struggling to make ends meet. Hence, I decided to give tablets with internet connection to around 20 children. I took the necessary permissions from the concerned authorities for arranging this hall," he said.

He also went one step ahead and arranged a teacher to clarify doubts after classes, on a daily basis. "The teacher gives free tuition in all subjects depending on their school curriculum," he added.

The online classes were inaugurated by Revenue Minister R Ashoka and former deputy Mayor and BBMP corporator L Srinivas on Sunday.

Murthy, who lost his job during the pandemic and has a child studying in Class 7 says, "Thanks to Pramod and Rashtriya Yuva Prathishtana, my son is now able to attend his classes regularly. We need more people like these to come forward and help the needy."

Continuous, comprehensive evaluation for all students

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PARENTS need to sign a consent letter before sending their wards for offline classes, declaring that their children do not suffer from any Covid symptoms. No mid-day meal or canteen facilities will be made available at schools, and students have to bring lunch from home.

Students will be split into groups of 15-20 and classes will be conducted in batches. After the lunch hour, high school teachers must focus on teaching Class 8 students through online or other modes of learning as specified by a circular on June 10. All students will be subjected to continuous and comprehensive evaluation this year, which will be recorded frequently.

Revenue Minister R Ashoka, MLA Rizwan Arshad and BBMP Chief Commissioner Gaurav Gupta launch the 'BBMP doctors at your doorstep' campaign at the Palike's Head Office in Bengaluru on Monday | SHRIRAM BN

Now, doctors at your doorstep to check vaccine, Covid details

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"CITIZENS' health is very crucial at this moment. The right information will not just help decide the course of action in the coming days but also plan the direction of working. Thus, citizens must cooperate and share accurate information with health professionals," Revenue Minister R Ashoka said on Monday.

Speaking on the sidelines of the launch of house-to-house health survey from Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike head office, he said, citizens could be scared of the police, but not of doctors.

"The surveyors will not just check vaccination details, but also help Covid-positive patients in getting admitted to hospitals immediately. Those belonging to the economically-weaker sections, find it difficult to approach a doctor, but now doctors will come to everyone's doorstep," he said.

Ashoka said everyone should share information related to their comorbidities, vaccination, Covid infection and recovery details, or any other health issues. "This will also help them get admitted to the right hospital when tested positive," he added.

In the beginning, the survey will be conducted in 54 wards, a minimum of two wards in every assembly constituency will be surveyed. In one month, the exercise will be extended to all 198 wards. Each team comprising five doctors and paramedics have been given a target to survey 50 homes every day. All the data collected will be stored in the tabs online, no paper documentation will be done.

Each team will move in assigned vehicles with ID cards. The team will comprise MBBS/ BDS and Ayush doctors, along with paramedics. All team members will be in uniform with '*Palike vaidyaru nimma mane bagilige, nimma arogyave namma dhyeya'* (Palike doctors at your doorstep, your health is our priority), printed on it.

Ashoka added that festivities are round the corner and in another three to four days the CM will take a final call on how they should be held.

"If the health survey shows a decline in health status, cases rise or experts point to the need, then strict measures will have to be enforced and tough decisions will have to be taken," he said.

Those belonging to the economically weaker sections, find it difficult to approach a doctor, but now doctors will come to everyone's doorstep — R Ashoka, Revenue Minister

Palike keeps eye on rising cases in apartments

ENS @Bengaluru

IN the wake of the rising clusters and containment zones in the city, BBMP officials and health department are keeping a close watch on the number of cases in apartment complexes and hostels.

Officials have sternly informed apartment complexes to ensure that movement of people is under control and according to Covid-appropriate behaviour. The BBMP has also warned them of surprise checks and informed that penalties will be imposed if anyone is found violating the norms.

BBMP Chief Commissioner Gaurav Gupta said there are over 1,000 apartment complexes in the city, housing over 11 lakh people. "Cases are being reported from hostels. The staffers and teams are checking if there are sufficient provisions for isolation and quarantine and are also shifting positive patients and their contacts to Covid Care Centres (CCC)," he added.

Gupta pointed out that so far of those who tested positive, around 180 from the government quota and nearly 90 from the private quota, have been admitted to hospitals.

According to BBMP records, there are 172 containment zones in Bengaluru as on August 15, of which 49 are in Mahadevapura, 25 in Yelahanka, 36 in East zone, 11 in West zone, 24 in Bommanahalli, 21 in South zone, five in RR Nagar and one in Dasarahalli. Of these 80 are apartment, nine hostels and 81 individual homes.

MYSURU ROAD-KENGERI LINE GETS GO-AHEAD

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THE Commissioner of Metro Rail Safety (CMRS), Southern Circle, Abhai Kumar Rai on Monday evening gave the green signal to launch operations on the Mysuru Road-Kengeri Line. Operations on this Phase-II line will be launched very soon, said BMRCL Managing Director Anjum Parwez. She told *TNIE*, "We received the authorisation on Monday evening. No major suggestions were mentioned in the clearance. Hence, we can go ahead and start operations when we want."

Asked about a possible launch date, the MD said, "Consultations need to be held with both the Centre and the State to decide the possible dates. I will be meeting state representatives on Tuesday in this connection. However, we are trying to open it very soon."

The Line is crucial as many heading to Mysuru can alight at Kengeri and change over to other modes of transport. "With KSRTC and BMTC also situated here, it would become a vital transport hub when Metro also gets operational. We are looking at an average of 70,000 commuters using the stretch daily," Parwez added.

Daily Starscope

PETER VIDAL

17th August: Yesterday I mentioned this week's striking Jupiter-Uranus alignment. One of the core themes of this pattern is freedom. We all need liberty. After all, to make our own choices is to be human. However, too many governments and extremist groups think the opposite. It's time for all defenders of individual conscience to stand up and be counted!

ARIES (Mar 21 - Apr. 20)
Does it sound too trite to say that life could be one long party? Well, a rapidly approaching series of aspects between the Sun and the Moon offers you sufficient incentive to put your cares to one side for a while, enjoy yourself and maybe go on a spending spree.

TAURUS (Apr. 21 - May 21)
The delicate relationship between Mars and Saturn is pretty well perfect as far as you are concerned, even if it is a little dour - and if you only have a limited time to exploit your advantages. This is an extraordinary week to combine all that is most noble about your character, with all that is most imaginative.

GEMINI (May 22 - June 21)
Admittedly you've had a financial shock, but one that is by no means threatening to your overall position. Stay one step ahead of the stars and move as quickly as possible to a secure fail-safe position. Relief comes within days, mainly thanks to family support.

CANCER (June 22 - July 23)
The most sensitive among you are already aware that, within two weeks, an extravagant, though fortuitous, development will have shaken the foundations of your family life. Do the wise thing and seize the moral high ground now. Don't let other people put you off.

LEO (July 24 - Aug. 23)
The silver lining in this week's dark cloud is reflected in the very sober prospect that your past efforts are about to be rewarded. To be precise, many of you may shortly expect an increase in your earnings. But it could be another nine weeks before everything is finalised.

VIRGO (Aug. 24 - Sept. 23)
You may now be worried that something ominous is about to happen. But what? Don't be unduly concerned, though. All that's taking place is an increase of pressure in mysterious regions of your chart. It's as if, no matter what you do, you just can't figure out the answer.

LIBRA (Sept. 24 - Oct. 23)
Romantic and emotional secrets will shortly be coming into the open. You will be happy to hear that someone's opinion of you is higher than you once thought, but please see to it that your conscience is clear. Just because other people are behaving badly doesn't mean that you have to follow suit.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24 - Nov. 22)
Because the Sun is due to enter into combat with the Moon before it next changes signs, you must be prepared for a professional crisis. The most reasonable estimate tips you as odds-on favourite, but only if you safeguard your privacy and cover every possible source of discontent at home.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23 - Dec. 22)
You don't usually pay too much attention to other people's tedious bickering and barracking. And quite right, too! However, some sort of legal problem or overseas complication may come to involve you, unless you indulge in some of your fast and fancy footwork.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 23 - Jan. 20)
Although an unusual amount of planetary activity in and around your sign is now encouraging you to become more reckless, you must take extreme care in the financial sphere. Events are likely to move so fast over the coming days that you are in danger of being left temporarily high and dry.

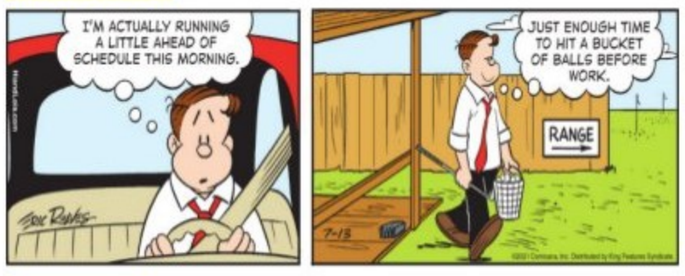
AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 - Feb. 19)
More than ever it is time to put your money where your mouth is. You might as well face the fact that a dramatic gesture now is likely to head off any bitterness and resentment that may be directed at you, however unfairly, over the coming days and weeks.

PISCES (Feb. 20 - Mar 20)
By all means wait another few days, if important new projects are in the pipeline. On the other hand, if you're contemplating measures to reinforce your physical well-being, you should press ahead as fast as you can. There is no reason why you should back down, now.

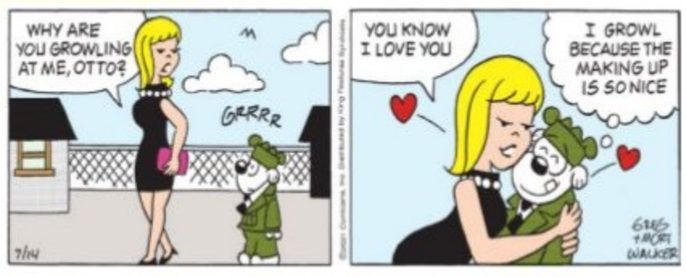
THE PHANTOM

TAKE THE NIGHT OFF...
NOBODY'S GOING TO HEAR YOU KICKING AT THIS POOR UNTIL MORNING ANYWAY.
WHY THE LONG FACES?
IF THINGS GO POORLY FOR ME TONIGHT, YOU TWO MIGHT BE THE LUCKIEST GUARDS AT GRAVELINES!

HI AND LOIS



BEETLE BAILEY

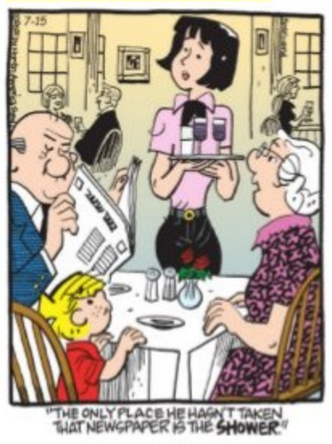


BLONDIE

ARE YOU WORKING ON YOUR HOMEWORK, ELMO?
NOPE, I'VE STARTED KEEPING A JOURNAL OF MY LIFE
I'M THINKING OF CALLING IT 'MY AMAZING LIFE AS A SUBMARINE COMMANDER AND WORLD-FAMOUS MAGICIAN, BY ELMO'
THAT'S A PRETTY IMPRESSIVE TITLE
I KNOW... I WANT IT TO BE AN INTERESTING READ
OBVIOUSLY

LOCKHORNS

DENNIS THE MENACE



SU DO KU

Medium: Test your number crunching skill with our unique puzzle

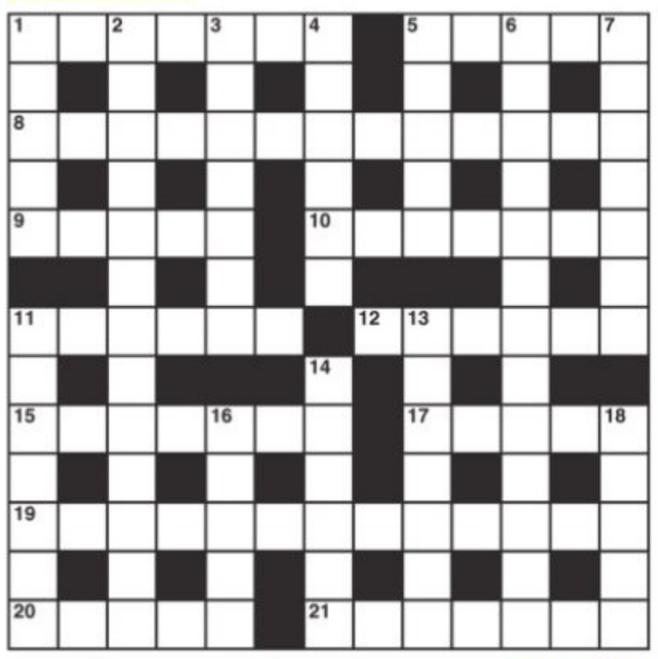
■ Fill in the grid with digits in such a manner that every row, every column and every 3X3 box accommodates the digits 1 to 9, without repeating any.

6		4		1			5	2
		5						
			2				3	
2	4		8			3		7
		6	1		7	9		
3		9			2		8	5
	6				1			
						6		
8	9			4		2		3

Solutions to Yesterday's puzzle

8	6	7	2	4	1	9	5	3
2	4	3	5	7	9	6	1	8
1	5	9	3	8	6	4	2	7
3	9	4	8	1	2	7	6	5
6	1	5	9	3	7	8	4	2
7	2	8	4	6	5	1	3	9
5	8	2	1	9	4	3	7	6
4	3	6	7	5	8	2	9	1
9	7	1	6	2	3	5	8	4

CROSS WORD



ACROSS
1 Scent's indispensable quality (7)
5 Sat perplexed (5)
8 The main split between Britain and the US (8,5)
9 Man's highest state? (5)
10 Assemble for prayer (7)
11 Notes made by a musical instrument on board (6)
12 Variety of potash which inspires sadness (6)
15 The defendant made charges (7)
17 Is of a capital disposition (5)
19 Complaint made by a tiresome person (4,2,3,4)
20 Ball possibly square (5)
21 Got into gear? (7)

DOWN
1 Right to insist upon (5)
2 It has lots to attract buyers (4,2,7)
3 Journey on such a train can only have one end (7)
4 Show a different Venice (6)
5 Stalk or stem has a number (5)
6 They work at intervals (5,8)
7 Points out but don't see changes (7)
11 Trampled in an endless rush (7)
13 Harsh wind from south and east (7)
14 New deed includes it when revised (6)
16 Picture that amuses young children (5)
18 Requested a new desk (5)

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTIONS

Across: 1 Simon, 8 Distance, 9 Stays, 11 Tempo, 12 Fly, 16 Pencil, 17 Emetic, 18 Ups and downs, 23 Dense, 24 Hallowed, 25 Taxis, 26 Overload, 27 Tasks.

Down: 2 In the red, 3 Olympics, 4 Signal, 5 Study, 6 Knows, 7 Tense, 12 Flu, 13 Yes, 14 Demerara, 15 Lipstick, 19 Prepay, 20 Shoot, 21 Alien, 22 Folly.

JUMBLE By David L. Hoyt and Jeff Knurek

Unscramble these Jumbles, one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.

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Has she been here all day?
She's driven. She just cleared her personal best.
THE HIGH JUMPER WHO PRACTICED MORE THAN THE OTHER ATHLETES WAS AN ---

Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon

ANSWERS TOMORROW

YESTERDAY'S: **Jumbles:**
KHAKI ITCHY TYRANT MANURE
ANSWER: Polynesian items dating back many years were available for purchase at the — "AN-TIKI" HUT

Karnataka on Monday reported 1,065 fresh cases, in a continuation of a declining caseload, compared to the previous week's sudden spike. This is comparable to the July-end numbers; on July 25, the state recorded 1,001 Covid-19 cases, the lowest since March, before the second wave

Weddings, funerals & Covid clusters in dists

Towns, villages reporting outbreaks, experts say laxity in protocol could lead to another wave of the pandemic

CHETANA BELAGERE @ Bengaluru

THOUGH the number of Covid-19 infections in the state has marginally decreased, the formation of clusters in some districts is worrying health officials. Experts say that such clusters can lead to an increase in cases in no time, especially with the Delta variant in circulation in the state.

A health official said, on condition of anonymity, that when analysing the cause of spread, especially in some areas of cities and villages in the districts, the department found that "sources of infections are streets adjacent to main marketplaces, people visiting hospitals without following protocol like masks, people attending weddings, funerals, functions at houses and mass gatherings at religious places".

Recently, in Thimmanakoppalu village in Pandavapura taluk of Mandya district, 25 people who attended the final rites of a person tested positive. Following this cluster outbreak, officials sealed the entire village. Despite Covid norms, many villagers gathered in their hundreds for the funeral, leading to the formation of a cluster. Meanwhile, paying guest (PG) accommodations and hostels have also become hotspots. Recently, more than 100 nursing college students, mainly those residing in hostels and PGs, tested positive. These clusters in Hassan were reportedly primary and secondary contacts of students who had returned from Kerala.

In Bengaluru, though the number of cases has been low, micro containment zones have gone up with apartments and residential societies reporting a large number of cases. As per BBMP War Room data, as on Monday, there are 162 micro containment zones, and 88 apartments have been declared 'containment zones'.

"It is very important for officials to not just issue SOPs but make sure there is no laxity in implementing them. Weddings, funerals, functions, PGs and hostels, political events and religious gatherings can be super spreader events, leading to clusters. With the Delta variant in circulation, it won't take much time for the infection to spread, if care is not taken," said Dr Manjunath CN, Director, Jayadeva Institute of Cardiovascular diseases.

TAC for expert tech panels to guide officials

The Technical Advisory Committee (TAC) has recommended the formation of District Level Covid Technical Expert Committees (TEC) to provide technical guidance to district administrations. The TEC should regularly interact with the state TAC, and function under the overall guidance of TAC. Further, TEC shall review data at the district level and compare it with data from other districts, states and national level, on a continuous basis. It shall help the district administration by utilising information obtained locally, and facilitate public health actions and containment measures.

SPEED AND RISE OF COVID-19 CASES IN KARNATAKA

1,065 CASES REPORTED TODAY

TOTAL CASES: TODAY 29,30,529; YESTERDAY 29,29,464

1431 CASES REPORTED YESTERDAY

DEATHS: TODAY 28; YESTERDAY 21

The first Covid-19 case in Karnataka was reported on March 8, 2020. Since then until August 15, 2021, a total of 29,30,529 cases have been reported in 1 year and 157 days...

DISCHARGES: TODAY 1,486; YESTERDAY 1,611

Active cases

TODAY 22,048

YESTERDAY 22,497

POSITIVITY RATE

TODAY 7.14%

YESTERDAY 7.16%

The day positivity rate – 0.93% – is calculated as the number of patients testing positive out of 100 tests conducted only in a day.

MORTALITY RATE

TODAY 1.26%

YESTERDAY 1.26%

RECOVERY RATE

TODAY 97.98%

YESTERDAY 97.96%

DISTRICT-WISE COVID CASES

LAST 24 HOURS

270 BENGALURU URBAN

10 BENGALURU RURAL

Bagalkot	1
Ballari	3
Belagavi	11
Bidar	2
Chamarajanagar	11
Chikkaballapur	3
Chikkamagaluru	22
Chitradurga	11
Dakshina Kannada	284
Davanagere	5
Dharwad	7
Gadag	0
Hassan	54
Haveri	1
Kalaburagi	6
Kodagu	34
Kolar	21
Koppal	0
Mandya	18
Mysuru	63
Raichur	0
Ramanagara	4
Shivamogga	45
Tumakuru	31
Udupi	107
Uttara Kannada	38
Vijayapura	2
Yadgir	1

Only 44.8% of city's 45+ age group jabbed twice

94% OF BENGALUREANS HAVE GOT THEIR FIRST JAB

Ranjani Madhavan @ Bengaluru: Bengaluru Urban area (excluding BBMP limits) has vaccinated nearly 94% of its target population with one dose of Covid vaccine, and is leading in Karnataka in terms of immunisation coverage, as per data shared by Bengaluru Urban DC J Manjunath. BBMP area is second in the state, having covered 65.41% of its population with one dose. "Of 10,62,262 eligible people, 9,97,288 people have got their first dose in Bengaluru Urban, and 21.28% -- 2,26,148 people -- have got the second dose. In BBMP area, 61,76,873 people of 94,42,274 eligible people have received the first shot, and 23.24% -- 21,95,040 people -- have got the second dose," said Manjunath. These figures are as of August 12. As of August 16, Bengaluru Urban had 16,516 doses and BBMP had 50,000 doses in stock.

IFFATH FATHIMA @ Bengaluru

ALTHOUGH Bengaluru has been the Covid-19 hotspot right through the pandemic, the vaccination coverage for the 45+ age group has remained low, at 44.83%. This, despite this age group being the largest segment of those with comorbidities.

The state began carrying out vaccination for the 45-plus age group from April 1. Going by BBMP data, so far, of the targeted 25,60,826 population in this age group, 21,90,307 have taken the first dose. This records a coverage of 85.53%, which means that 3,70,519 (or 14.47%) of the people in this segment have not yet taken their first dose.

If the health department is aiming at covering the entire population with two doses of vaccination, then at least 100% should have been vaccinated with the first dose.

Of the 21,90,307 target population for the second dose in the 40-plus segment, 12,89,113 are eligible to take the second dose and complete vaccination, as their window for the second dose (84-day waiting period) has opened. Among these, 11,48,217 have taken the second dose, recording a coverage of 89%.

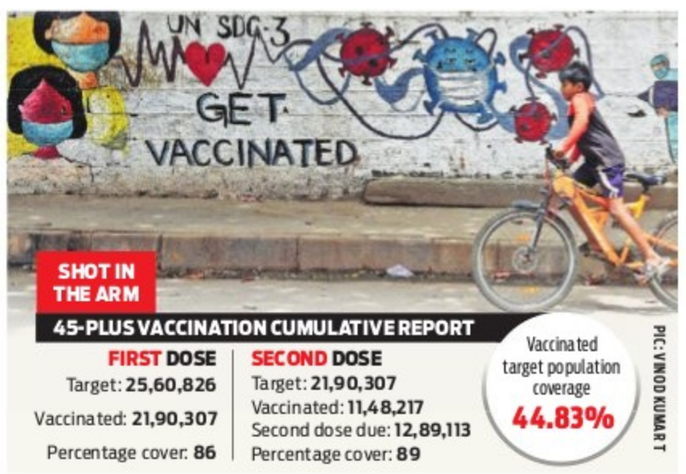
BBMP officials said it still amounts to coverage of 52.4% of the total target population in the 45-plus age segment.

They said the key is in covering the entire segment with the first dose at the earliest, so that delays in covering complete vaccination schedules are avoided, or at best minimised.

While this age group is to still attain 100% coverage, there remains an issue of vaccine supplies. "Supplies are low for Karnataka. Just 50% of the vaccines come to Bengaluru, while the rest are sent to other districts. Basically, Bengaluru has seen a high Covid caseload, amounting to 75% of the entire state's caseload. We could easily be carrying out 75,000-1,00,000 vaccinations per day in Bengaluru. But the target is not being achieved due to supply constraints," BBMP Health Commissioner Randeep D said.

The highest vaccination coverage is in East and Yelahanka zones for the second dose. Dr Obul Reddy, consultant physician at a private hospital, said, "The government must make vaccination mandatory. For instance, parents must be vaccinated mandatorily before sending their children to school. Employees must be vaccinated if they are working in office."

He said a major hindrance is because there is one vaccination centre in a 4km radius. The government must make sure it is reduced to one vaccination centre in 1km radius, he said.



COVID BYTES

Children make up 62% of cases in Kodagu

MADIKERI: Kodagu administration officials have been ordered to bring the Covid positivity rate in the district to below 2% to enable reopening of schools above Class 9. However, over 62% of the active Covid cases in the district comprise children below 18 years — indicating that this could go against the reopening of schools. The district has 569 active Covid cases as on Monday. This includes 358 in the age group of 0-18 years, contributing 62.91% of the total active cases. Experts are against the reopening of schools; however, only the expert panel has the authority to decide on the issue. ENS

PUBLIC NOTICE

My Client **Sri. Siddaram S Pavadashetty** S/o Sri. Shivalingappa Pavadashetty, Aged about 37 years, Residing at No.47/4, G-Block, Opp to HDFC Bank, Sahakaranagar,Bengaluru-560092 has entered agreement of sale dated 09.08.2021 of Schedule Property from **Sri. Surendra. M. Rao @ Surindra Mahadev Rao @ Surindra Rao,** S/o Late.Mahadev Rao, Aged about 48 years, Presently Residing at No.23, 'Sree Nilaya', 18th A Cross, Bhuvaneshwaranagar, Coffee Board Layout, H.A.Farm Post, Bengaluru-560024, If anybody is having any legitimate claim over the schedule property is hereby requested to notify the same to the undersigned within **15 days** from the date of this publication, failing which my client will proceed with the sale transaction.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

Residential Property Vacant Site No.3, formed in Portion of Assessment/Survey No.4 of Hebbal Amanikere Village, Kasaba Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk within the limits of BBMP, Vide Khatha No.701/15/4/3 earlier Municipal Khatha No.701/15/4/2 and 2 measuring East to West 47 Feet and North to South 30 Feet, Totally 1410 Sq Ft and bounded on: **East by :** Private Property, **West by :** Road, **North by :** Site No.2, **South by :** Site No.4.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the General Public that my Client, **Mr. Siddagangaiah, son of Sri Chikkabangaluraiah,** residing at Karekallupalya Village, Chunchanakuppe Post, Doddamarenahalli Dhakale, Tavarekere Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, is the absolute owner in peaceful possession of the **Residential Property bearing No. 8, Katha No. 66/52/58/2/08,** formed in Land bearing Survey No. 58/2, situated at Nagashetty Halli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Byatarayanapura Municipal Council, Bangalore North Taluk, presently within the limits of the Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike ('BBMP'), Ward No. 8, Kodigehalli (Nagashetty Halli), Bangalore, **admeasuring 4,950 Square Feet** vide Sale Deed dated 4th December 2012, executed by Sri Ramesh Raja & his children in favour of my client, duly registered as document No. 2822 of 2012-13, in Book No. 1, stored in C.D. No. GAND145, in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Ghandhinagar, Bangalore, including three (3) other Original Sale Deeds and one (1) Gift Deed executed in favour of the predecessors in title Mr. P. Ramesh Raja and Mr. Munipapanna @ T. Papanna, in respect of the Land bearing Survey No. 58/2, Nagashetty Halli.

My Client represents that the aforesaid registered original Sale Deed dated 4th December 2012 executed in favour of our client including the three (3) other Original Sale Deeds and one (1) Gift Deed executed in favour of the predecessors in title Mr. P. Ramesh Raja and Mr. Munipapanna @ T. Papanna, in respect of the Land bearing Survey No. 58/2, Nagashetty Halli were misplaced, in this regard, my client lodged a Police Complaint on 16th August 2021. The General public is hereby notified that any transactions without the notice of my client in respect of the aforesaid Residential Property are void and not maintainable and also my client has obtained the Certified Copy of the aforesaid Sale Deed dated 4th December 2012 bearing Certified Copy No. GAN-CC-AA-186059-2021-22, from the SRO, Gandhinagar, Bangalore including the certified copies of the aforesaid three (3) other Original Sale Deeds and one (1) Gift Deed and same may be treated as original with respect to the aforesaid lost original Sale Deeds and Gift Deed. Further, any person/s attempting to create any kind of encumbrances with respect to the aforesaid Residential Property, relying on the aforesaid Original Sale Deeds & Gift Deed are liable to be punished under law and if anybody found the same kindly return it to undersigned.

Mr. Suman K.S., Advocate,
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U-20: Odisha Computer Application Centre (OCAC) invites Request for Proposal (RFP) for selection of Agency for "Ama Krushi" project. For details please visit websites www.ocac.in & www.odisha.gov.in. **The bid shall be submitted in electronic mode only in the portal https://enivida.odisha.gov.in latest by 13.09.2021, 02:00 PM.** OCAC reserves the right to accept/ reject any/ all bids without assigning any reason thereof.

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POSSESSION NOTICE [Section 13(4)] (For Immovable Property)

Whereas: The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the Canara Bank under Securitisation And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (Act 54 of 2002) (hereinafter referred to as "the Act") and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued a **Demand Notice dated 15.10.2019** calling upon the borrower **Mr. RAMAMURTHY S & Ms. GAYATHRI** jointly to repay the amount mentioned in the Notice, being **Rs. 20,68,869.33 (Rupees Twenty lakhs sixty eight thousand Eight hundred sixty nine and Ps Thirty three)** within 60 days from the date of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him / her under section 13 (4) of the said Act, read with Rule 8 & 9 of the said Rule on this **11th day of August, the year 2021.**

The borrower in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of **Canara Bank** for an amount being **Rs 20,68,869.33 (Rupees Twenty lakhs sixty eight thousand Eight hundred sixty nine and Ps Thirty three)** and interest thereon.

The borrower's attention is invited to the provisions of Section 13 (8) of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Description of the Immovable Property: Land and Building constructed on No:48/8 house list No:3 Khatha No:238/3 and present BBMP PID Khatha No:66-105-43 surrounded East by : House No :2, West by : House No :4, North by : 20 ft Width Road, South by : House No :14.

Date : 11.08.2021 **Sd/-Authorized Officer**
Place : Bangalore **Canara Bank**

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MK/P. ADVT/2021-22/05 **TENDER NOTICE** 14-08-2021

IREL, MK invites Request For Proposal for the following items / job descriptions:

Tender No.	Description
GEM/2021/B/1439203	Supply, Supervision of Installation and Commissioning of Rare Earth Roll Magnetic Separator (RERMS) - 3 Nos.

For further details visit https://gem.gov.in, www.irel.co.in and CPP Portal. Corrigendum / Extension, if any, will be hosted in the above websites only.

Sd/- HOD(Purchase)

GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA
Office of the Executive Engineer Public Works Department Mangaluru Division Mangaluru
Ref :-PW:DIV:MAG :TND(24E) :2021-22 :AE-2 : Dated :12.08.2021

E-TENDER NOTIFICATION

On behalf of Government of Karnataka, The Executive Engineer, PWD, Divn. Mangaluru invities Tender in Two Cover bids under E-tendering system through http://eproc.karnataka.gov.in Portal From Eligible Tenderers In Accordance With Kttp Act For The (1) Construction Of 2 Additional Classrooms & Two Sanitory blocks to Govt. P.U.College, Arasinamakki In Belthangady Taluk (Indent No. : 140448) Estimate Cost Rs.55.00 Lakhs, E.M.D RS.1.10 Lakhs) (2) Construction Of 2 Additional Classrooms & Two Sanitory blocks to Govt.P.U.College, Padmunja In Belthangady Taluk (Indent No. : 140845) Estimate Cost Rs.55.00 Lakhs, E.M.D RS.1.10 Lakhs) Under The Head Of Account: 4202-01-202-1-05-386. The tenderers are advised to note the minimum qualification criterion specified in I.T.T Clause – 3 of Standard Tender Document KW-4, to qualify for award of the contract. Tender document may downloaded from the e-procurement portal of the government of Kramataka Viz. http://eproc.karnataka.gov.in. **Last date for reciept of tender : 03.09.2021 upto 16.00Hours.**

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DIPR/MNG/MCA/347/21-22 dt.16.08.2021 **Sd/-. Executive Engineer**

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The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him / her under section 13 (4) of the said Act, read with Rule 8 & 9 of the said Rule on this **11th day of August, the year 2021.**

The borrower in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of Canara Bank for an amount of **Rs.69,81,585.56/- (Rupees Sixty nine lakhs eighty one thousand five hundred eighty five and Fifty six paise only)** and interest thereon.

The borrower's attention is invited to the provisions of Section 13 (8) of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Description of the Immovable Property: All that piece and parcel of the Property bearing Western portion of site No.69 Old No.s 98,99,100 &101 Old khata No:69 Mahadevapura CMC Khata No:69 Property No:69 Present BBMP No: 574/69-69, situation at 3rd Cross Ashwantha Nagar, Munnekolala extension, Varthur Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, previously Mahadevapura CMC Limits, Now BBMP Limits Totally measuring 1000 Sq.Ft Bounded on: East By: Remaining Portion of Site No:69, West by : Site No 68, North by : Site No 79, South by : 30 feet wide Road.

Date : 11.08.2021 **Sd/-Authorized Officer**
Place : Bangalore **Canara Bank**

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(For immovable property)

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Sl. No.	Name of the Borrowers	Demand Notice and Possession Notice Date / Amt. due Rs.	Description of the Property
1	**Smt Kalawathi Pandey, W/o Late Shri Jairam Pandey,** R/a No 46/87,1st Main, 5th Cross, Lakshmi Sagar, Mahadevapura Post, Bangalore - 560048. **Shri Ajitkumar V** No 46, Neeladri, 1st Main, II Cross, RHB Colony, Mahadevapura Post, Bangalore 560048	05.04.2021 12.08.2021 **Rs.6,97,027.25 + Interest & other charges**	Site No 19, carved out of Sy No.47, Old Katha No. 328/19/47, New No.336, Lakshmisagara Layout, Mahadevapura Sub Division and **Postal Address :** No 46/87, 1st Main, 5th Cross, Lakshmi Sagar, Mahadevapura Post, Bangalore 560048. **Extension :** East to West : 40'-0", North to South : 30'-0", Total - 1200 Sq.Ft. Bounded as under : **East by :** Road, **West by** : Property belonging to Shri Rajendran, **North by :** Private Property and **South by :** Road. **Name of Title Holder/Mortgager : Smt Kalawathi Pandey, W/o Late Shri Jairam Pandey.**
2	**1. M/s. MADHAVI HOSIERY Proprietrix Smt Saroj Tiwari** No 46/87, Ground Floor, 2nd Main, 5th Cross, Lakshmi Sagar, Mahadevapura Post, Bangalore - 560048. **2. Proprietrix Smt Saroj Tiwari, W/o Shri Vijay Shankar 3. Smt Kalawathi Pandey W/O Late Shri Jairam Pandey** Both are at : R/a No.46/87, 1st Main, 5th Cross, Lakshmi Sagar, Mahadevapura Post, Bangalore - 560048.	05.04.2021 12.08.2021 **Rs.13,53,920.64 + Interest & other charges**	Property bearing No.19, carved out of Sy No 47, Old Katha No.328/19/47, New No.336, Lakshmisagar Layout, Mahadevapura Sub division, **Postal Address :** No.46/87, 1st Main, 5th Cross, Lakshmi Sagar, Mahadevapura Post, Bangalore - 560048. **Extension :** East to West : 40'-0", North to South : 30'-0", Total 1200 Sq.Ft. Bounded as under : **East by :** Road, **West by :** Property belonging to Shri Rajendran, **North by :** Private Property, **South by** : Road. **Name of Title Holder/Mortgager : Smt Kalawathi Pandey, W/o Late Shri Jairam Pandey.**
3	**1. M/s. Manya Enterprises** Proprietrix Smt Kalawathi Pandey, No 4 Eswara Temple Building, RHB Colony, Whitefield Road, Mahadevapura Post, Bangalore 560048. **2. Proprietrix : Smt Kalawathi Pandey, W/o Late Shri Jairam Pandey** R/a No.46/87, 1st Main, 5th Cross, Lakshmi Sagar, Mahadevapura Post, Bangalore 560048.	05.04.2021 12.08.2021 **Rs.12,42,507.00 + Interest & other charges**	Site No.19, carved out of Sy No.47, Old Katha No. 328/19/47, New No.336, Lakshmisagar Layout, Mahadevapura Sub Division. **Postal Address :** No 46/87, 1st Main, 5th Cross, Lakshmi Sagar, Mahadevapura Post, Bangalore 560048. **Extension :** East to West : 40'-0", North to South : 30'-0", Total : 1200 Sq Ft. Bounded as under : **East by :** Road, **West by :** Property belonging to Shri Rajendran, **North by :** Private property, **South by** : Road. **Name of Title Holder/Mortgager : Smt Kalawathi Pandey, W/o Late Shri Jairam Pandey.**
4	**1. Shri S Ravindra, S/o Late Shri S Sreenivasaih 2. Smt Ramya S, W/o Shri S Ravindra** Both R/a Site No.7, Property No 27, CMC Katha No.435, Near Sri Venugopala Swamy Temple, 3rd Cross, Kuvempu Layout , Devasandra, K R Puram Hobli, Bangalore - 560048.	05.04.2021 12.08.2021 **Rs.22,46,145.00 + Interest & other charges**	Property bearing Site No.7, Property No.27, Katha No 435, situated at Devasandra, K R Puram Hobli, now under K R Puram CMC Limits Bangalore East Taluk. **Postal Address :** Site No 7 Property No 27 CMC Katha No 435 Near Sri Venugopala Swamy Temple 3rd Cross Kuvempu Layout Devasandra, K R Puram Hobli, Bangalore : 560048. **Extension :** East to West : 30 Ft, North to South : 40 Ft, Total 1200 Sq Ft. Bounded as under : **East by :** Road, **West by :** G Muniswamappa Land, **North by :** Site No 6 and **South by :** Site No 8. **Name of Title Holder/Mortgager : Smt S Ravindra, S/o Late Shri S Sreenivasaih**

Date : 12.8.2021 **Sd/-**
Place : Bangalore **Authorised Officer, Canara Bank.**

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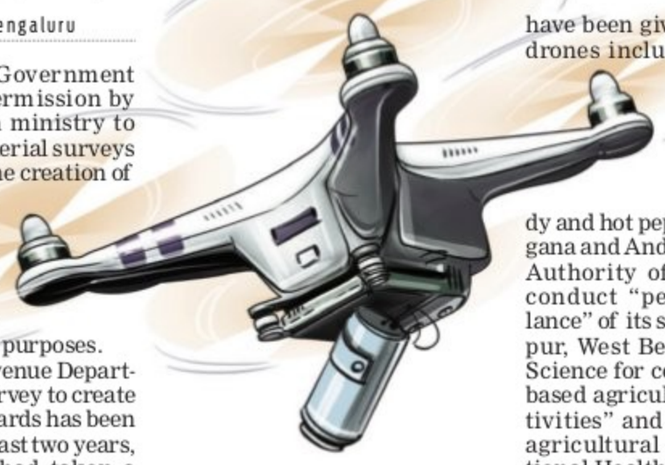
Centre nod for drone survey of properties in Bengaluru

State working on plan to extend the exercise to all 31 districts

BOSKY KHANNA @ Bengaluru



THE Karnataka Government has been given permission by the Civil Aviation ministry to deploy drones for aerial surveys in Bengaluru for the creation of urban property ownership records. The state is among 10 entities to get conditional permission to use drones for various purposes.

According to Revenue Department officials, a survey to create property identity cards has been going on since the last two years, but the exercise had taken a back seat due to the Covid-19 pandemic. Munish Moudgil, Commissioner, Survey, Settlement and Land Records, said that around 6,000 properties were surveyed in Pattabiramanagar using drones. At present, a model is being created for the exercise and testing is going on. The State Government has to take a final call, he added.

The department is working on creating urban property ownership records and maintaining them. The exercise is being undertaken to ascertain details of each property and the changes made to them.

Principal Secretary to the Revenue Department, Tushar Girinath, said that assessing properties is part of the exercise to update information. In the state, five districts were chosen for the survey and it is now being planned to extend it to all 31 districts. The Centre's nod will give a fillip to the exercises now. He said using drones will speed up the process, where otherwise, physical surveys will have to be done. It will help in surveying various land parcels. There is sufficient funds for the exercise, he added.

According to a Civil Aviation ministry statement, among other entities which have been given the nod to use drones include Mahindra and Mahindra for "drone-based agricultural trials" and use of drones for precision spraying on paddy and hot pepper crop in Telangana and Andhra Pradesh; Steel Authority of India (SAIL) to conduct "perimeter surveillance" of its steel plant in Burnpur, West Bengal; Bayer Crop Science for conducting "drone-based agricultural research activities" and use of drones for agricultural spraying; the National Health Mission in Mumbai for conducting experimental beyond visual line-of-sight drone flights to deliver essential healthcare items in tribal areas of Jawhar in Palghar district of Maharashtra. Apart from this, a few organisations from Gujarat, Gangtok, Chennai, and Pune have also been given permission for drone use.

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POLITICAL THEATRE

As turncoats weigh their options, Gopalaiah says not quitting BJP

Out in the cold, Shrimant Patil plays the caste card

Sunil Patil @ Belagavi

AFTER missing a berth in Bommai Cabinet, Kagwad MLA Shrimant Patil is leaving no stone unturned to make it back. With an eye on the five vacant berths, he is now playing the caste card. On Monday, Patil made no bones about his desire for a ministerial berth. "I have worked as a minister. I am not one who will settle for the chairmanship of a board." Patil, who belongs to the Maratha community, is lobbying hard with the help of community leaders. Recently, some Maratha leaders had urged Bommai to accommodate Patil under Maratha quota. "I am confident of getting a good position in the coming days. I will work to fulfill the responsibilities entrusted by the party. The high command should show inclination to hand me a big responsibility," he said. Patil was among the turncoats who dumped the Congress-JDS combine to join the BJP.

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THE recently concluded cabinet formation and portfolio allocation have left a chunk of BJP leaders miffed. Many disgruntled leaders are from among the 17 turncoats who quit the Congress-JDS coalition in 2019 and joined BJP. While party circles are abuzz with what lies ahead for the 'newcomers', they have been weighing their options and holding hush-hush meetings among themselves and with leaders of other parties. While his cabinet colleague Anand Singh, who too had jumped ship to BJP, contemplated resignation, Excise Minister K Gopalaiah on Monday brushed aside speculation of his exit from BJP when the next Assembly elections get nearer.

"I quit the JDS and joined BJP and the party has made me a minister. The party and leadership have kept their word. I will stay in BJP and ensure the party comes back to power with a majority in the next election. I have joined a national party. I will be with BJP as long as I am here," Gopalaiah told reporters when asked about his alleged meetings with KPCC president DK Shivakumar. He denied meeting any party leader with the intention of quitting BJP. He even appealed to Anand Singh to hold talks with the BJP leadership and find a solution.

Ever since the change of guard in Karnataka, a fresh evaluation of newcomers has been happening, BJP sources said. In the party's internal assessment, people like Dr K Sudhakar, ST Somashekhar, Shivaram Hebbar, Ramesh Jarkiholi and Mahesh Kumathalli are keen on continuing with BJP. Others like Muniratna, Byrathi Basavaraj, Narayana Gowda, Gopalaiah, BC Patil, MTB Nagaraj and Srimanth Patil are said to be on the fence.

Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai interacts with people outside his residence in Bengaluru on Monday | EXPRESS

'Kageri's remark on RS not acceptable'

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Belagavi

CONGRESS leader B K Hariprasad on Monday took a dig at Assembly Speaker Vishweshwara Hegde Kageri saying, "I have never seen the Speaker of one House commenting on the Chair of another House anywhere".

At the press conference here, Hariprasad, who was reacting to Kageri's criticism of the recent ruckus in the Rajya Sabha, said, "He made comments on the monsoon session of Rajya Sabha and Lok Sabha a few days ago. As Speaker of the Assembly, Kageri has some powers and dignity. He should use his words properly and impartially. Having been a member of the Rajya Sabha for 19 years, I never saw a Speaker of one House commenting on another House," he said.

"He should know the history of the Rajya Sabha and how the Bharatiya Janata Party members behaved when they were in the opposition. Now, the ruling BJP government is not allowing any discussion. The members have to struggle to get the government's attention," Hariprasad added.

IN TIMES OF COVID

Congress Legislature Party leader Siddaramaiah arrives to inaugurate a programme to distribute food kits to the needy, in Bengaluru on Monday. The event was organised by Vijayanagar MLA M Krishnappa. Covid-19 norms were thrown to the winds with a large number of people gathering at the venue

From paddy fields to mutts, Union Ministers launch Jan Ashirwad Yatra

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

WITH paddy saplings in hand, Union Minister of State for Agriculture Shobha Karandlaje joined farmers in Mandya to plant the crop as part of the party's Jan Ashirwad Yatra. The nationwide campaign launched by BJP to introduce the new Union Ministers took off on Monday with all four newly inducted Ministers of States from Karnataka travelling to various parts of the state.

MoS for New and Renewable Energy, Chemicals & Fertilizers Bhagwanth Khuba held a roadshow in Bidar. He also visited Ramakrishna Ashram in Bidar.

Karandlaje highlighted the welfare schemes introduced by the Narendra Modi government for agriculture and farmer welfare in a press conference in Mandya before kickstarting her campaign.

Union Minister Bhagwanth Khuba takes out a rally in Bidar on Monday

MoS for Entrepreneurship, Skill Development, Electronics & Technology Rajeev Chandrashekhar began his yatra from Hubballi and visited Uttar Kannada. He met leaders of Jan Sangh during his tour and stopped at the Siddarooda Mutt to perform 'gaupooje' before proceeding to facilitate Covid-19 frontline workers. MoS Social Justice and Empowerment A Narayanaswamy began his yatra from the BJP headquarters in Bengaluru. Khubha and Chandrashekhar also visited public distribution shops in Bidar and Hubballi, respectively, as part of the party's strategy to highlight the PM Garib Kalyan Anna Yojana scheme.

Dist ministers to hear out BJP workers

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With the objective of ensuring better coordination between the BJP leadership and the workers at the grassroots level, district ministers have been given the task of interacting with party workers in their respective districts to address their grievances, if any. This, according to BJP leaders, will strengthen the party and instill confidence among the workers ahead of the poll season.

Also, the party central leadership have told the ministers to visit the party's state head office in Bengaluru, once a week to interact with party workers. Excise Minister K Gopalaiah, who visited the party office on Monday, told reporters that two ministers will visit the office each day. Gopalaiah said he will visit the office every Monday.

Youth Cong plans to strengthen booth presence

> **People from various walks of life will be identified and given positions at the booth level so they can work as office-bearers**
>
> Raksha Ramaiah, K'taka Youth Cong chief

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FINALLY emerging out of the controversies, uncertainty and factionalism that marred its election results, the Youth Congress in Karnataka seems to have a plan in place. With a change of guard expected to take place in February next year, the current president of Karnataka Youth Congress Raksha Ramaiah has proposed a booth level office-bearer system to strengthen cadre-level leadership in the party's youth wing.

While the youth wing's primary target is enhancing membership from the current 6 lakh to 50 lakh by the end of 2021, Ramaiah told *TNIE* that identifying new voters and enhancing leadership instead of followers are the long term goal.

"Our focus will be 150 Assembly constituencies where we lost. Identifying youngsters in Grade 9 and 10 who will become first-time voters in 2023 and 2024, approaching young women voters in rural areas, and adding more members in every booth are our priority," he said.

To retain membership and encourage cadre-level leadership, the youth wing president hopes to create office-bearers at booth level. "People from various walks of life-- students, professionals, homemakers, pourakarmikas, ASHA workers-- will be identified and given positions at the booth level so they can work as office-bearers. Our digital youth campaign will also be implemented effectively by keeping a tab on BJP's activities at the ground level and countering it effectively at booth levels," Ramaiah added. He has also proposed to organise weekly meetings at block and booth level of office bearers.

To avoid 'controversy', Revanna not to invite ministers home

Hassan: Expressing displeasure at the criticism by a few over the recent meeting between Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai and JDS supremo HD Deve Gowda, former minister HD Revanna on Monday said that he will not invite any BJP ministers to his residence for lunch or breakfast in the future. Addressing reporters here, Revanna questioned what was wrong in Bommai paying a courtesy visit to Gowda, who is a senior politician and a former PM. "It is unfortunate that a section of politicians are politicising the matter," he added. He also appealed to BJP leaders, including ministers and MLAs, not to visit the homes of Opposition leaders in order to avoid controversies. He also slammed the state election commission for delaying elections to the zilla and taluk panchayats. ENS

SLAMS GOVT

Delay in implementing water projects irks HDK

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JDS leader HD Kumaraswamy on Monday expressed concern over the delay in implementing the Mekedatu and other water projects in the state.

"They should have started the work by now. We have already met the Governor and sought President's intervention to direct the Centre to accord necessary approvals for the project. We will soon meet the chief minister to discuss the need for taking up Mekedatu, Yettinahole and other projects in the state," he told reporters.

"Yettinahole project to provide drinking water to Kolar and Chikkaballapur was started with an estimated cost of Rs 8,000 crore and the project cost has now increased to Rs 23,000 crore. The governments are unable to resolve issues related to its implementation and at this pace, the cost may touch Rs 50,000 crore," he rued.

Kumaraswamy also slammed Congress Legislature Party leader Siddaramaiah for his recent remarks on the caste census.

"When I was the CM, he was the chairman of the (coalition) coordination committee. Did they discuss accepting the caste census report in the coordination committee meeting? He is talking about it now... he is just politicising it," he added.

Make cities more liveable: Minister to officials

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

MINISTER for Urban Development, B A (Byrathi) Basavaraj, on Monday directed the commissioners of urban local bodies in 10 major cities, excluding Bengaluru, to spend about an hour every day to identify black spots and take steps to ensure cleanliness. Referring to constant complaints regarding cleanliness in urban centres, especially about solid waste, the minister said these issues need to be systematically addressed and added that it has to be a continuous exercise.

Several infrastructure issues like bad roads and footpaths, solid waste management, street lighting, urban commuting and others plague these 10 major cities. Basavaraj directed the officials to attend to such problems immediately and warned that those responsible will be penalised for any failure. "Let us work on developing the important cities and making them more liveable," he noted.

Urban Development Minister Byrathi Basavaraj has directed commissioners of urban local bodies in 10 major cities, including Mysuru, to ensure cleanliness | FILE PHOTO

Speaking to *The New Indian Express*, Basavaraj said, "Works have been awarded to contractors with a clause to deliver in a time-bound manner. They will be pulled up if they fail to honour the contracts."

While the department has been planning to develop the urban infrastructure under the Smart Cities project in Mysuru, Vijayapura, Kalaburagi and Ballari, the minister said they are awaiting the Centre's nod to include them under the scheme. The Mahatma Gandhi City Development Plan will be a game-changer for these cities. While Mysuru has received a one-time grant in 2019, the other cities too have received allocations under the scheme and project works which are pending need to be completed in a time-bound manner, he noted.

The series of meetings were held at the KUIDFC office in Indiranagar where the commissioners of Hubballi-Dharwad, Belagavi, Shivamogga, Davangere, Kalaburagi, Vijayapura, Ballari, Mysuru, Mangaluru and Tumakuru participated. Senior IAS officers Ajay Nagbhushan, B B Kaveri, M T Reju and other officials were present.

EXPRESS READ

Govt to act tough on foreigners staying illegally: Jnanendra

SHIVAMOGGA: Home Minister Araga Jnanendra has said that foreign nationals staying illegally in Bengaluru and other parts of Karnataka would be deported. Speaking to reporters at Shikaripura, Jnanendra said he has discussed the issue with senior officials of his department. On drug menace, he said, "Not just in Shivamogga... drug menace is a big problem in Bengaluru and Mangaluru. Understanding the gravity of the situation, I have directed the police to take stringent action on those peddling drugs." He said that the police have seized more than 10 tonnes of narcotics in the recent past. "They have done a good job by burning the seized narcotics. Otherwise, it would have created more problems," he added. ENS

CAR LOADED WITH GELATIN STICKS EXPLODES, KILLS MAN

Blast near Kanakapura spreads panic among villagers

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PANIC gripped Marale Gavi Mutt village near Kanakapura after a 48-year-old man was charred to death when his car, laden with gelatin sticks, exploded on Monday evening.

The blast was so severe that the car was ripped apart and the loud bang could be heard over long distances.

The deceased was torn into pieces and his body parts were found metres away from the car, the police said. The deceased, Mahesh P -- a resident of Kanakapura, was working as a mining tools dealer.

A senior police officer said the blast occurred around 2.30 pm, and they took time to even identify it as a four-wheeler.

Mahesh was carrying the gelatin sticks to a crushing site run by Shakti Minings where a lot of labourers were at work. The blast occurred a little distance away from the quarry averting an even bigger disaster. Mahesh had parked his car and was waiting for someone when the explosion occurred, the police said.

Soon after the explosion, Sathanur police rushed to the spot, while senior police officers along with FSL experts arrived to carry out the investigation.

Petitioners seek relief for parents of minors

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A division bench of Chief Justice Abhay Shreeniwas Oka and Justice NS Sanjay Gowda was hearing public interest litigation filed by advocate Nayana Jyothi Jhawar and another person in 2020.

The petitioners had requested the court to issue directions to the investigating officer to follow prescribed rules while examining minors in a criminal investigation and to protect the interest of minors during questioning. They also sought compensation to the parents or legal guardians of the minors for the alleged emotional and mental agony.

The court passed the order after going through the affidavit filed by the police department, which did not contest the photographs annexed to the rejoinder filed by the petitioner.

In the statement of objections filed in February 2020, the State Government, however, informed the court that the policemen were not in uniform when they met and counselled 17 students.

On January 28, 2020, the investigating officer visited the school premises along with witnesses and seized the Digital Video Recorder (DVR). He had removed his uniform and worn a civil dress before requesting the school authorities to produce the children who participated in the play along with their class teachers for counselling.

Policy on free assistive laptops

The Karnataka High Court has dropped contempt proceedings against the state government after the latter implemented its order by framing a policy to provide free assistive technology-enabled laptops to visually impaired students to pursue higher education. The contempt petition was filed by city-based advocate S Umapathi.

CRIME PATROL

BBMP health official trapped by ACB

Bengaluru: A BBMP junior health official was caught red-handed by the Anti-Corruption Bureau (ACB) as he was accepting a bribe of Rs 15,000 from a contractor. Krishna, who was working at the health officer's office of BBMP ward no. 120C in Cottonpet, had demanded Rs 50,000 from the complainant to release payment that was pending with the BBMP for six months. "Unwilling to pay the bribe, the contractor lodged a complaint with the ACB. A trap was laid on Monday, and Krishna was caught red-handed while accepting the bribe as advance. He was arrested and booked under the Prevention of Corruption Act," an officer said. **ENS**

Man arrested with 430 gm of opium

Bengaluru: The Upparpet police have arrested a drug peddler and seized 430 gram of opium from him. Police said the accused was arrested following a tip-off that he was coming near the Majestic Metro station on Saturday morning. **ENS**

Nigerian held, ecstasy pills seized

Bengaluru: The Govindapura police on Monday arrested a 47-year-old Nigerian for drug peddling and seized 400 ecstasy pills worth Rs 15.5 lakh from him. Acting on a tip-off, police raided the house of Thomas K alias Kalu at Sampigehalli, and arrested him. **ENS**

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SRI. M. PONNUSWAMY, No.29/1, 5th Cross, 15th Main Road, Chowdappa layout, Bapujinagar, Mysore Road, Bangalore – 560 026.

PUBLIC NOTICE
General Public are hereby informed that, our client has proposed to purchase the Schedule property from its present owner **Smt. P. Hema,** W/o. Mr. M. S. Lakshmipathi, Person/s, Financial Institution/s, Bank objecting for the proposed purchase or having any right, share, title and interest in the Schedule property may lodge their objections/claims with the undersigned along with supporting documentary evidence within **7 days** from this day of publication and any objection/claims received thereafter will not be binding on our client and our client will proceed to purchase the below mentioned Schedule property as if there are no claims/objections.
-:SCHEDULE PROPERTY:-
All that piece and parcel of an immovable property bearing Site No.02, presently BBMP Khatha No.2/255/1/255/1-C, (earlier bearing HASB Old Khatha No.255/1 and HASB New Khatha No.255/1-C), situated at Kaggadasapura Village, K.R.Puram Hobli, formerly Bangalore South Taluk, presently Bangalore East Taluk, presently in the limits of BBMP, Vignanangar ward, Bangalore, consisting of 1½ Squares ACC roofed sheet house thereon measuring East to West 40 Ft. and North to South 30 Ft., totally measuring 1200 Sq.Ft. and bounded on: **East by:** Site No.01, **West by :** Site No.03, **North by :** Narayanappa's property, **South by :** 15 Ft. Road.
V. S. RAI & ASSOCIATES,
LAW FIRM. No.23, "Venkatachi" 6th Main, 5th Cross, S.R.Nagar, Bangalore-27. Mob: 98441 55041.

PUBLIC NOTICE
This is to notify the General Public that my client **M/s. NEW ERA DEALCOM PVT. LTD.,** is intending to purchase the properties fully described in the schedule hereunder from the property owners **Mr. ANUJ SINGHAL and Mr. ANKUR SINGHAL, both sons of Mr. Vinod Singhal.** Any person having any kind of right, interest or claim may lodge their objections in writing with documentary proof **within 10 days** to the undersigned from the date of publication of this notice. If any kind of Objection is not received, my client will proceed to purchase the schedule property in accordance with law. Any claim received thereafter will not be entertained or considered.
SCHEDULE PROPERTY
All that part and parcel of the **industrial converted land situated at Survey No.105 measuring 2 Acres 24 Guntas; Survey No.156/1 measuring 3 Acres; Survey No.156/2 measuring 2 Acres and Survey No.103/1-7 measuring 4 Acres 20 guntas; totally measuring 12 Acres 4 Guntas, of Vagata Village, Jadeganahalli Hobli, Hoskote, Bangalore Rural District, situated on Indian Oil Corporation Road,** bounded on the:
East by : Survey No.103/8,
West by : Road,
North by : Mr. Anand's land,
South by: Survey No.104.
D. SRINIVASA, Advocate
No.13, 3rd Cross, Journalist Colony, Bangalore-560002.
Date : 16-08-2021

Bank of Baroda
(A Government of India Undertaking)
Giri Nagar Branch,
5, 50 Feet Rd, Avalahalli, Banashankari Stage 3, Banashankari, Bengaluru- 560026
Phone: 080 2674 9686, Mob:9329611020, E-Mail: VJGINA@bankofbaroda.com,

POSSESSION NOTICE (For Immovable Property) Appendix IV under Act-Rule 8(1)
Whereas The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the **Bank of Baroda** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest (Second) Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(12) read with Rule 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a Demand Notice dated **03.06.2021** calling upon the Borrower **Mr. Nagaraju M** S/o Shri Muddaih & **Smt. Hemaltha G** W/o Mr. Nagaraju M to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.20,19,535.74** (Rupees Twenty Lakhs Nineteen Thousand five hundred thirty five and paisa seventy four Only) within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.
The Borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the Borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under Section 13 (4) of the said Act read with Rule 9 of the said Rules on this **10th day of August of the year Two Thousand Twenty One**
The Borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of **Bank of Baroda** for an amount of **Rs.20,19,535.74** (Rupees Twenty Lakhs Nineteen Thousand five hundred thirty five and paisa seventy four Only) and interest thereon.
Description of the Immovable Property:
All the piece and pacel of Site bearing No. 1290, formed in Survey No. 30/1, situated at Srigandhakavlu Village, Yeshwanthpura Hobli, Bangalore North, Bangalore, layout formed by the Karnataka State" D" Group Employees Central Associations , Measuring East to West 30 feet , North to South 40 feet, in all measuring 1200 sq feet together with all rights appurtenances whatsoever whether underneath or above the surface Bounded: On the North by: Site No. 1265, On the South by : Road, On the East by : Site No. 1289, On the West by: Site No. 1291.
Date:10.08.2021 Sd/- Chief Manager cum Authorised Officer
Place: Bengaluru Bank of Baroda

KOTESHWARA SAHAKARI BANK NIYAMITHA
No.12/2, 'Vishvothama', 2nd Main Road, Sheshadripuram, Bangalore-560020
email : koteshwarabank@gmail.com

POSSESSION NOTICE (for Immovable Property)

Sri Mallesh C.

Smt. Sukanya (Guarantor)

Whereas, the undersigned being the Authorized Officer of Koteshwara Sahakari Bank Niyamitha, No.12/2, 'Vishothama', 2nd Main Road, Sheshadripuram, Bangalore-560020 under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(2) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 had issued a Demand Notice dated **15th May 2021** calling upon the Borrower, owner of the property 1) Sri.Malesh C S/o Chikkagowda, No.5,Manjunatha Wood Industrial, Huralichikkanahalli Village, Hesaraghatta Main Road, Bengaluru North Taluk and Guarantor 2) Smt. Sukanya W/o Mallesh C, No.457, 2nd Floor, 11th Cross, M S Ramaiah Enclave, Nagasandra Post, Bengaluru – 560073 to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs. 40,79,821/ (Rupees Forty lakhs Seventy Nine thousand Eight hundred twenty one only)** with further interest from **15.05.2021** within **60 days** from the date of receipt of the said notice.
The Borrower / Guarantor, owners of the property having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to borrower, owner of the property and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under section 13(4) of the said Act read with rule 8 of the Security (Enforcement) Rules 2002 on this **16th August 2021.**
The Borrower/Guarantor/owner's attention is invited to the provisions of sub section (8) of the section 13 of the Act in respect of time available to redeem the Security Assets/Secured Assets.
The Borrower/Guarantor/owner's of property, in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the Koteshwara Sahakari Bank Niyamitha, No.12/2,2nd Main,Sheshadripuram, Bangalore-560020 for an amount of **Rs.40,79,821/- (Rupees Forty lakhs Seventy Nine thousand Eight hundred twenty one only)** and further interest accrued and other charges from **15.05.2021** thereon.
Description of the Immovable Property
Details of Mortgage property in the name of Mr. Mallesh C S/o Chikkagowda
All the piece and parcel of Property bearing No.5,V P Khatha No.40, Hurulichikkanahalli Village, Hesaragatta Hobli, Bengaluru, measuring East to West: (40+55)/2 = 47.5 feet, North to South: (61.6+64.9)/2 = 63.25 feet together with the building with all amenities and bounded on the:
East by :Other property, West by : Site No.4 and 6,
North by :Site No.3, South by : Road.
Date: 16.08.2021 Authorised Officer
Place: Bangalore Koteshwara Sahakari Bank Niyamitha

Bank of Baroda
Mayohall Branch (e-Vijaya Bank), PB No. 5118, Ground Floor, Public Utility Building, M G Road, Bangalore – 560 001.
Tel: 080-25588936 / 25587312 / 25594873,
E-mail: vjmayo@bankofbaroda.com

NOTICE TO GUARANTOR
(UNDER SUB-SECTION (2) OF SECTION 13 OF THE SARFAESI ACT, 2002)

To,
1. **Mr. Yediurappa,** No.40, Kodigehalli, Magadi Main Road, Bangalore – 560091.
Mr. Yediurappa, Site No.111, Khatha No.76, Asst. No.76, Balaji Layout, Venkateswara Temple Road, Byadarahalli, Herohalli Dhakela, Ward No.72, Yeshwanthapur Hobli, Bangalore - 72

Dear sir/s

***Re*: Your guarantee for credit facilities granted to Mrs. VEENA S. – Housing Loan A/c. No.73890600000437(Old A/c. No. 114608351000119)- SB No. 73890100008287**

1. As you are aware, you have, by a guarantee dated **27.08.2015** guaranteed payment on demand of all moneys and discharge all obligations and liabilities then or at any time thereafter owing or incurred to us by **MRS. VEENA S. – Housing Loan A/c. No.73890600000437(Old A/c. No. 114608351000119) & SB No. 73890100008287** for aggregate credit limits of **Rs. 78,59,812/-** with interest thereon more particularly set out in the said guarantee document. To secure the guarantee obligation you have also provided following securities to us:
(mention particulars of securities including document if any, by which security is created.)
2. We have to inform you that the borrower has committed defaults in payment of his liabilities and consequently his account has been classified as non-performing asset. A copy of the notice dated **06.08.2021** under section 13(2) of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 sent by us to the borrower is enclosed. Since the borrower has committed defaults, in terms of the guarantee you have become liable to pay to us the outstanding amount of loan/credit facilities aggregating **Rs. 79,42,051.19 (Rupees Seventy nine lakh forty two thousand fifty one and paise nineteen only), plus interest from 01.07.2021 plus applicable charges** and we hereby invoke the guarantee and call upon you to pay the said amount within 60 days from the date of this notice. Please note that interest will continue to accrue at the rates specified in para 1 of the notice dated **06.08.2021** served on the borrower (copy enclosed)
3. We further wish to inform you that in regard to the security provided by you to secure your guarantee obligations for the due repayment of the loans and advances by the borrower, this notice of 60 days may please be treated as notice under sub-section(2) of section 13 of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002. We further give you notice that failing payment of the above amount with interest upto the date of payment, we shall be at liberty to exercise all or any of the rights under sub-section (4) of section 13 of the said Act, which please note.
4. We invite your attention to sub-section(13) of section 13 of the said Act in terms of which you are barred from transferring any of the secured assets referred to in para 1 above by way of sale, lease or otherwise (other than in the ordinary course of business), without obtaining our prior written consent. We may add that non-compliance with the above provision contained in section 13(13) of the said Act, is an offence punishable under section 29 of the Act.
5. We further invite your attention to sub section (8) of section 13 of the said Act in terms of which you may redeem the secured assets, if the amount of dues together with all costs, charges and expenses incurred by the Bank is tendered by you, at any time before the date of publication of notice for public auction/inviting quotations/tender/private treaty. Please note that after publication of the notice as above, your right to redeem the secured assets will not be available.
6. Please note that this demand notice is without prejudice to and shall not be construed as waiver of any other rights or remedies which we may have, including without limitation, in the right to make further demands in respect of sums owing to us.

Yours faithfully,
Sd/- M.B.RAJU,
Asst. General Manager
Authorised Officer.
Place: Bangalore
Date: 06.08.2021

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BTM Layout Branch No:8, 100 ft Ring Road, BTM Stage-1, Phase- 1, Bangalore 560 068. Phone No:080-26686552
Fax:080-26785902, E-Mail : bmbang2816@centralbank.co.in

POSSESSION NOTICE Rule 8(1) (for immovable property)
Whereas, the undersigned being the Chief Manager & the authorized officer of the **CENTRAL BANK OF INDIA, BTM Layout Branch,** Bangalore, under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (12) read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a Demand Notices calling upon the borrowers mentioned below to repay the amount mentioned in the notice plus interest and charges thereon within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.
The borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under Section 13 (4) of the said Act 2002 read with rule 8 of the said rules on this **7th August , 2021.**
The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any one dealing with the property will be subject to the charge of the CENTRAL BANK OF INDIA, BTM Layout BRANCH for an amount mentioned below)plus further interest and charges thereon , less repayment made if any.
The Borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section(13) of the act,in respect of the time available to redeem the secured assets.

1. **Name of the Borrowers** : **Mr G R Satish**, No: 60, 8th Cross, 7th Main,Gokula 1st Stage, 2nd Phase, Next to Yeshwanthpura Co-op Society Ltd , Yeshwanthapura, Bangalore-560022
Mrs. Vinutha W/o G R Satish, No: 60, 8th Cross, 7th Main,Gokula 1st Stage, 2nd Phase, Next to Yeshwanthpura Co-op Society Ltd, Yeshwanthapura Bangalore-560022
Demand Notice date : 05.04.2021
Balance as on that date was : Rs. 35,79,758.05/ (Rupees Thirty five lakh seventy nine thousand seven hundred fifty eight rupees paisa five only) as on 31.03.2021,plus interest and charges thereon
Possession Taken date : 07.08.2021
Loan Outstanding amount :Rs. 35,79,758.05/ (Rupees Thirty five lakh seventy nine thousand seven hundred fifty eight rupees paisa five only) plus further interest and Charges thereon.
Description of the immovable property: All that piece and parcel of the Property bearing katha No 25, PID No3-72-25 within the limits of BBMP Ward No 3, Yeahwanthpura range Bangalore 560022 measuring 1200 Sq feet with construction on it and bounded as follows: East By: 1st Main road, West by: Site No8, North By: Keshavamuthy's Property/ Sagar Jewelers, South By:S Kuppuswamy"s Property/ Nothern Portion of No 764.

2. **Name of the Borrowers** : **1.Mr B.Chandra** S/o Mr Boraiah, No:35, Renukamba Nagara, 2nd Cross, Chunchagatta Main Road, Bangalore 560 062 **2. Smt Lakshmamma** (Co-Borrower) W/o Mr B.Chandra, No:35, Renukamba Nagara, 2nd Cross, Chunchagatta Main Road, Bangalore 560 062
Demand Notice date : 07.05.2021, Paper publication on 14.05.2021 in Indian Express & Samyukta Karnataka
Balance as on that date was : Rs.19,77,691.00(Rupees. Nineteen lakh seventy seven thousand six hundred ninety one only) as on 01.05.2021, plus interest and charges thereon
Possession Taken date : 07.08.2021
Loan Outstanding amount : Rs.19,77,691.00 (Rupees. Nineteen lakh seventy seven thousand six hundred ninety one only) plus further interest and Charges thereon
Description of the immovable property: All that piece and parcel of the residential property belongs to Mr Chandra bearing Site No:14,Khata No.64/1, situated at Chunchagatta Village, UttarahalliHobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Property comes under the jurisdiction of BBMP , Bangalore. And measuring East to West 30ft &North to South 40ft totally measuring 1200sq ft together with 6 square RCC roofing house in ground and first floor, constructed with brick and Cement walls, mosaic tiles flooring made up of jungle wood door and windows with all civic amenities provided and bounded on:- East by: Property No:13, West by: Property No:15, North by: Property No:10, South by: Road.

Date :07.08.2021 Sd/- **Authorised Officer/Chief Manager /**
Place : Bangalore Central Bank of India

DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL III, CHENNAI

5th Floor, Dewa Towers, No.770A, Anna Salai, Chennai-600 002. Phone:28498182

DRC No. 79/2020 **Dated : 13.08.2021**

Bank of Baroda, Pondicherry, ... Certificate Holder

Vs

M/s.Arunachalam Sugar Mills Ltd & Others ... Certificate Debtors

DEMAND NOTICE

To

(1) M/s Arunachalam Sugar Mills Limited
Rep. by its Chairman V. Kannan
Airyur, Kandamangalam, Pondicherry – 605 102.
(2) Sri. V. Kannan, S/o Late Venkatarama Iyer
(3) Sri. V. Baskaran, S/o Late Venkatarama Iyer
(4) Smt. K. Usha, W/o Mr. V. Kannan
(5) Smt. B. Bhavani, W/o Baskaran
Address of Sl. Nos. 2 to 5:
MD's Bungalow, Kandamangalam Pondicherry - 605 102.
(6) Sri M. Madhavan, S/o V. Muthalagu Pillai
Plot No.17, Venkatesh Nagar Main Road, Virugambakkam, Chennai – 600 092.
(7) Smt. Brihatkuchambal, W/o Late Appasamy Iyer
Flat 294, Block No.28, 10th Cross, 25th Main, J.P. Nagar, I Phase, Bangalore-560 078 .
(8) Sri G. Swaminathan, S/o T.S. Govindasamy
No.26, II Main Road, Avvai Nagar, Lawspet, Pondicherry - 605 008.
(9) M/s.New Horizon Sugar Mills Limited
Airyur, Kandamangalam Pondicherry - 605 102.

In view of the Recovery Certificate DRC No.79/2020 [Copy enclosed] issued on 05/3/2020 by the Hon'ble Presiding Officer, Debts Recovery Tribunal-III Chennai, under Sub Sections 7 and 22 of Section 19 of the Recovery of Debts Due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act, 1993 (as amended from time to time) in terms of Order dated 14/1/2020 in O.A. No. 115/2015, specifying that an amount of **Rs.11,31,67,133.20p (Rupees Eleven Crore Thirty One Lakh Sixty Seven Thousand One Hundred Thirty Three and paise Twenty only)** with interest and costs, is due/recoverable from you in terms of the DRC, details of which are given in the Annexure (DRC).

2. You are hereby called upon to deposit the above sum within 15 days of the receipt of this notice to the applicant Bank, failing which the recovery shall be made as per the extant rules.

3. In addition to the sum aforesaid, you will be liable to pay all costs, charges, expenses incurred for the service of notice, other processes/ warrants and all other proceedings for the realization of the debt in full.

4. **This Demand is being published in the Newspaper since the earlier one dated 12.03.2020 sent to the Certificate Debtors No. 1 to 7 & 9 returned "UNSERVED". The next date of hearing is fixed on 07.10.2021 at 11.30 am**

(RAMESH MANNAR)
RECOVERY OFFICER

Tamilnad Mercantile Bank Ltd.,

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19 F, B.V.K.Iyengar Road, Abhinay Theatre Complex, Bengaluru - 560009
BANGALORE CITY BRANCH

POSSESSION NOTICE

Whereas the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the Tamilnad Mercantile Bank Ltd., under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(12) read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued a demand notice dated **06.05.2021** calling upon the Joint **Borrowers, Mr.R.Varadaraj,** S/o.Mr.Rangaswamy and **Mrs.S.Kavitha** W/o.R.Varadaraj to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.11,60,571.59** (Rupees Eleven Lakh Sixty Thousand Five Hundred Seventy One and Paise Fifty Nine Only) as on **30.04.2021** plus future interest thereon from **01.05.2021** and costs within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The Joint Borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the Joint Borrowers and the Public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with rule 8 of the Security Interest Enforcement Rules, 2002 on this the **12th day of August 2021.**

The Joint Borrowers' attention is hereby invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to redeem the secured assets.

The Joint Borrowers in particular and the Public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealing with the property will be subject to the charge of **Tamilnad Mercantile Bank Ltd., Bangalore** City Branch for **Rs.11,86,718.59** (Rupees Eleven Lakh Eighty Six Thousand Seven Hundred Eighteen and Paise Fifty Nine Only) as on **16.07.2021** with future interest from **17.07.2021** and costs thereon (Less recovery, if any, after **16.07.2021**).

Description of the Property

Residential Land to the extent of 589.32 sq.ft (600 sq.ft as per document) at BDA Site No.134, Khatha Serial No.134 and residential building constructed thereat to the extent of 1528 sq.ft (GF-476 Sq.ft + FF 476 Sq.ft + SF– 476 Sq.ft & TF–100 Sq.ft) bearing Property No.134/134 at 1st Block, Jnanabharathi, Nagadevanahalli, Kengeri Sub Zone, Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagar Palike, Bangalore standing in the name of Mr.R.Varadaraj S/o.Ramaswamy. Boundaries: North : Site No.133, South: Site No.135, East : Site No.103 and 104, West : Road.

Note: The above property is also offered as security for the Cash Credit of **Rs.45.00 Lakh (Balance outstanding is Rs.52,93,917.78 as on 31.07.2021)** availed by Mr.R.Varadaraj, S/o.Mr.Rangaswamy, Proprietor, M/s.Raja Rajeshwari Tex from our Bangalore City Branch.

Date : 12.08.2021

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Tamilnad Mercantile Bank Limited
Bengaluru Region (Bangalore City Branch)

Karnataka Bank Ltd.

Your Family Bank Across India

Asset Recovery Management Branch, 1st Floor, FKCCI Building, Kempegowda Road, Bengaluru-560009
Phone: 080-22955928(Gen)/929(CM)
E-Mail: blr.arm@ktkbank.com
Website: www.karnatakabank.com
CIN: L85110KA1924PLC001128

POSSESSION NOTICE

(For Immovable Property)

Whereas, the Authorised Officer of **Karnataka Bank Limited,** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a demand notice dated **07-05-2021** calling upon the borrowers/mortgagors/guarantor **(1) Mrs.Kalpana H.J.,** W/o Mr.Jagadeesh Kumar H.S., **(2) Mr.Jagadeesh Kumar H.S.,** S/o Mr.Sriranga Shetty,**No.1 to 2 are addressed at:** No.6/84, 'Dharmashree Nilaya', Karibasavaiah Compound, B.H.Road, Tiptur-572202 **(3) Mr.Nagaraju T.S.,** S/o Late.Mr.Seetharamaiah, Subramanya Temple Road, Behind Boys College, Vidya Nagar, Tiptur-572201 to repay an aggregate amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.41,46,190=00 [Rupees Forty One Lakh Fourty Six Thousand One Hundred Ninety Only]** under **PSTL A/c No.7677001800043401** along with future interest from **01-04-2020,** within **60 days** from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrowers, mortgagors and the guarantor having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers, mortgagors, guarantor and the public in general **that the undersigned has taken the possession of the property described herein below** in exercise of powers conferred on him under Section 13 (4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 & 9 of the said Rules on this **13th day of August-2021.**

The borrowers, the mortgagors and the guarantor in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of **Karnataka Bank Limited, Tiptur-K.R.Extension Branch** for an aggregate amount of **Rs.45,64,296=97 [Rupees Forty Five Lakh Sixty Four Thousand Two Hundred Ninety Six And Paise Ninety Seven Only]** under **PSTL A/c No.7677001800043401** along with future interest from **01-04-2021,** plus costs. (The borrower's attention is invited to the provisions of Sub- section (8) of Sec.13 of the Act, in respect of time available to redeem the secured asset).

Description of the Immovable Property

All that part and parcel of **Residential Vacant Site Property** bearing **Site No.16,** measuring **3105.00 Sq.ft,** [East to West: 69 Ft and North to South: 45 Ft], Property ID No: 150300201900700483, Khata No.407/266/16, comprised in Sy.No.73 and 83, situated at Bhychapura Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anneshwara Grama Panchayath, Devanahalli Taluk belonging to **1) Mrs.Kalpana H.J. and 2) Mr.Jagadeesh Kumar H.S. Boundaries as per documents : East** : Road, **West:** Sy.No.72, **North** : Site No.17, **South:** Site No.15.

Place: Bhychapura Village, Devanahalli Taluk
Date: 13.08.2021

Sd/- Chief Manager & Authorised Officer
For Karnataka Bank Ltd.,

Phoenix Arc Private Limited

POSSESSION NOTICE

Registered Office: 5th Floor, Dani Corporate Park, 158, C.S.T. Road, Kalina, Santacruz (E), Mumbai-400098.

Whereas, the authorized officer of **M/s. Phoenix ARC Pvt Ltd.** under the securitization and reconstruction of financial assets and enforcement of security interest act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13(2) read with rule 3 of the security interest (enforcement) rules, 2002 issued demand notices to the borrowers, co-borrowers, guarantors as detailed hereunder, calling upon the respective borrowers, co-borrowers, guarantors to repay the amount mentioned in the said notices within 60 days from the date of receipt of the same. The said borrowers, co-borrowers, guarantors having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers, co-borrowers, guarantors and public in general that the authorized officer of the company has **taken possession** of the property described hereunder in exercise of powers conferred on him under section 13(4) of the said act r/w rule 8 of the said rules on the dates mentioned alongwith. The borrowers, co-borrowers, guarantors in particular and public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the properties and any dealings with the properties will be subject to the charge of **M/s. Phoenix ARC Pvt Ltd.** for the amount specified therein with future interest, costs and charges from the respective dates. Details of the borrowers, co-borrowers, guarantors, properties mortgaged, name of the trust ,outstanding dues, demand notices sent under section 13(2) and amounts claimed there under are given as under:

S. No.	Name and Address of the borrower, Co-Borrower, Loan account No., Loan amount	Details of the Securities	1. Name of trust, 2. Demand Notice date, 3. Date of Possession, 4. Amount due in Rs.
1	**Mrs. Sharmila R (Legal Heir of Late Mr. Dhayalen B), at:** No.866, Flat No.201, 2nd Floor, **"SLV Durga"** 5th Block, 20th Cross, HMT Layout, Vidhyanarayanpura, BBMP Bengaluru-560097. **Also at: M.K.Medicacs & General Store,** 3/A, No. 960/3A/28/1, CMC Doddammasandra Village, Shop No.2, Bangalore North Taluk Bangalore, Karnataka-560097. **Loan Account Number: PR00568069 & PR00436249 Loan Amount Sanctioned: Rs. 25,36,000/- (Rupees Twenty Five Lakh Thirty Six Thousand Only).**	All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Flat No. 201, on the Second Floor formed in site No.8661 present Khatha No.824/2505/866, building known as **"SLV Durga"** Super built-up area 1008 Sq.Ft. along with 267 Sq.Ft. undivided share, situated at Narasipura Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Now under BBMP limits Bangalore, **and Bounded by: East:** Site No.865, **West:** Site No.867, **North:** Site No.857, **South:** Road. **Name of the Mortgagor: Late Mr. Dhayalen B (since deceased)**	**1) Phoenix trust FY 20-6 Scheme C, 2) 06.04.2021, 3) 11.08.2021, 4) Rs.31,27,273/- (Rupees Thirty One Lakh Twenty Seven Thousand Two Hundred Seventy Three Only)** due and payable as on 31.03.2021 with applicable interest from 01.04.2021 until payment in full.
2	**Mrs. Saraswathamma D.M. & Mr. Pradeep Kumar B, both are at:** No.28/1, 1st Main Road, Anubhavanagar, Bangalore 560072. **Loan Account Number: PR00371699 Loan Amount Sanctioned: Rs.30,00,000/- (Rupees Thirty Lakh Only)**	All that piece and parcel of the Site No.96, Formed in Sy.No.84, New PID No.126W0066-40, New Municipal No. 28, Old PID No. 35-130-28, situated at 1st Main Road Anubhavanagar, Nagarabhavi Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore, **Bounded on: East by:** Property No.95, **West by:** Property No.97, **North by:** Property belongs to Mr. Kempaiah, **South by:** Road. Measuring East to West 15 Ft, North to South 40 Ft., (Along with Ground Floor + First Floor + Second Floor 600 Sq.Ft. RCC Roofed House). **Name of The Mortgagor: Mrs. Saraswathamma D.M.**	**1) Phoenix trust FY 19-10 2) 03.03.2021, 3) 11.08.2021 4) Rs.44,67,395.54 (Rupees Forty Four Lakh Sixty Seven Thousand Three Hundred Ninety Five and Fifty Four Paisa Only)** due and payable as on 13.04.2021 with applicable interest from 14.04.2021 until payment in full.
3	**Mr. Edwin J & Mrs. Jasinth A, both are at:** No.25/3 First Cross Millers Road, Bangalore Benson Town Bangalore, Karnataka-560096. **Also at:** No.S 106, New Post Office, Main Bangalore, Lingarajapuram, Bangalore, Karnataka-560084. **Loan Account Number: PR00431892 Total Loan Amount Sanctioned: Rs.35,63,000/- (Rupees Thirty Five Lakh Sixty Three Thousand Only).**	All that Part and Parcel of the Immovable Residential Property Bearing Site No.10, House List Katha No.1168, Assessment No.211/2, Previously situated at Kacharakanahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore, Now Assigned BBMP Katha No.472/1168/10, Presently situated at 2nd Cross, Shivaramaiah Layout, Kacharakanahalli Bangalore, Old C.M.C. Ward No.31, Now Comes Under BBMP Ward No. 24, Mesauring East to West: 30' (Thirty Feet), & North to South: 40' (Forty Feet), Totally Measuring 1200 Square Feet along with Ground Floor 8 Square & First Floor 8 Square RCC Roof Building, with Mosaic Flooring, Cement and Bricks used For Construction of Wall, Hone Wood used for Doors and Windows, with All Civic Amenities **And bounded on: East:** Private Property, **West:** Narayana Reddys Property, **North:** Road, **South:** Venkatappas House. **Name of The Mortgagor: Mr. Edwin J and Mrs. Jasintha (Mary Josephine Jasintha)**	**1) Phoenix trust FY 20-6 Scheme C 2) 12.02.2021, 3) 11.08.2021 4)Rs. 44, 03,968/-(Rupees Forty Four Lakh Three Thousand Nine Hundred Sixty Eight Only)** due and payable as on 12.02.2021 with applicable interest from 13.02.2021 until payment in full.

Place: Bangalore
Date: 11.08.2021

Sd/- Authorised Officer
For Phoenix Arc Private Limited

For any query please Contact Mr. Vijay Kumar Menon (Mobile No.+91 9940572248) and Mr. Ramamohan PB (Mobile No.+91 8886811053)

Bank of Baroda

बैंक ऑफ़ बड़ौदा Bank of Baroda

Mayohall Branch (e-Vijaya Bank), PB No. 5118, Ground Floor, Public Utility Building, M G Road, Bangalore – 560 001.
Tel: 080-25588936 / 25587312 / 25594873,
E-mail: vjmayo@bankofbaroda.com

NOTICE TO GUARANTOR

To, (UNDER SUB-SECTION (2) OF SECTION 13 OF THE SARFAESI ACT, 2002)

1. **Mr. G. Jayaprakash** S/o G. P. Venkata Naidu, C/o Sri Sai Automobiles, No.158/F, Cantonment, BELLARY, KARNATAKA.**Also at : Mr. G.Jayaprakash**, S/o G.P.Venkata Naidu, No.401. 4th floor, Arya Krishna Apartments, Kodigehalli Extension, Vidyaranyapura, Canara Bank Layout, Bangalore – 560092

Dear sir/s

Re: **Your guarantee for credit facilities granted to G.P.Venkata Naidu & G. Lakshmi Narasamma (since deceased represented by her Legal Heirs namely (a) Mr. G.P.Venkata Naidu , (b)Mr. G. Jayaprakash (c) Dr. (Mrs.) Gayani (d) Smt. Geetha (e) Smt. Saritha. – Term Loan (V-Rent) Account No. 73890600000505 (Old A/c. No.114608381000017).**

1. As you are aware, you have, by a guarantee dated **20.06.2018** guaranteed payment on demand of all moneys and discharge all obligations and liabilities then or at any time thereafter owing or incurred to us by **G.P.Venkata Naidu & G. Lakshmi Narasamma (since deceased represented by her Legal Heirs namely (a) Mr. G.P.Venkata Naidu , (b)Mr. G. Jayaprakash (c) Dr. (Mrs.) Gayani (d) Smt. Geetha (e) Smt. Saritha. – Term Loan (V-Rent) Account No. 73890600000505 (Old A/c. No.114608381000017)** for aggregate credit limits of **Rs. 8,05,00,000/-** with interest thereon more particularly set out in the said guarantee document. To secure the guarantee obligation you have also provided following securities to us: *(mention particulars of securities including document if any, by which security is created.)*
2. We have to inform you that the borrower has committed defaults in payment of his liabilities and consequently his account has been classified as non-performing asset. A copy of the notice dated **17.07.2021** under section 13(2) of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 sent by us to the borrower is enclosed. Since the borrower has committed defaults, in terms of the guarantee you have become liable to pay to us the outstanding amount of loan/credit facilities aggregating **Rs. 8,52,29,270.00 (Rupees Eight crore fifty two lakh twenty nine thousand two hundred seventy only) plus interest from 01.09.2020 plus applicable charges** and we hereby invoke the guarantee and call upon you to pay the said amount within 60 days from the date of this notice. Please note that interest will continue to accrue at the rates specified in para 1 of the notice dated **17.07.2021** served on the borrower (copy enclosed).
3. We further wish to inform you that in regard to the security provided by you to secure your guarantee obligations for the due repayment of the loans and advances by the borrower, this notice of 60 days may please be treated as notice under sub-section(2) of section 13 of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002. We further give you notice that failing payment of the above amount with interest upto the date of payment, we shall be at liberty to exercise all or any of the rights under sub-section (4) of section 13 of the said Act, which please note.
4. We invite your attention to sub-section(13) of section 13 of the said Act in terms of which you are barred from transferring any of the secured assets referred to in para 1 above by way of sale, lease or otherwise (other than in the ordinary course of business), without obtaining our prior written consent. We may add that non-compliance with the above provision contained in section 13(13) of the said Act, is an offence punishable under section 29 of the Act.
5. We further invite your attention to sub section (8) of section 13 of the said Act in terms of which you may redeem the secured assets, if the amount of dues together with all costs, charges and expenses incurred by the Bank is tendered by you, at any time before the date of publication of notice for public auction/inviting quotations/tender/private treaty. Please note that after publication of the notice as above, your right to redeem the secured assets will not be available.
6. Please note that this demand notice is without prejudice to and shall not be construed as waiver of any other rights or remedies which we may have, including without limitation, in the right to make further demands in respect of sums owing to us.

Place: Bangalore
Date: 17.07.2021

Yours faithfully,
Sd/- M.B.RAJU,
Asst. General Manager
Authorised Officer.

Kotak Mahindra Bank Limited

Regd office: 27BKC, C 27, G Block, Bandra Kurla Complex, Bandra (E), Mumbai – 400 051
Corporate office: Kotak Infiniti, Bldg No 21, Infinity Park, General AK Vaidya Marg, Malad (E), Mumbai – 400 097 www.kotak.com

AUCTION - NOTICE

That the below mentioned Borrower/s had availed gold loan facility against security of the gold ornaments/ items, as specified below. The Borrower/s defaulted in due repayment of the instalments and outstanding dues and as a result of which the Bank was constrained to issue notices calling upon the Borrower/s to repay the outstanding amounts. However, the Borrower/s has failed to repay/clear his outstanding dues thereby compelling the Bank to auction the gold ornaments pledged in favour of the Bank.

The auction of the below mentioned gold ornaments would be held at :- Respective Branches
Date: 30.08.2021 Time: 11.00 AM

Apac	Account No	Borrower Name	State	Location	Branch	Gr. wt (Gms)
GLN1862671	GLN1862671	Aftab Ahmed Sharief	Karnataka	BANGALORE	BASAVANGDI	57.66
GLN1879984	GLN1879984	Shivanand Beedaki	Karnataka	BANGALORE	BASAVANGDI	74.95
GLN1904016	GLN1904016	C Eswar Gowda	Karnataka	BANGALORE	DEVASANDRA	40.6
GLN1970884	GLN1970884	Prasad S	Karnataka	BANGALORE	DEVASANDRA	144.4
GLN1866989	GLN1866989	Anjinappa V G	Karnataka	BANGALORE	DEVASANDRA	322.6
GLN1871876	GLN1871876	Anjinappa V G	Karnataka	BANGALORE	DEVASANDRA	428.5
GLN1739752	GLN1739752	Shaik Azhar Pasha	Karnataka	BANGALORE	FRAZERTOW	27.26
GLN1962473	GLN1962473	Ambrin Khan	Karnataka	BANGALORE	FRAZERTOW	109.11
GLN1939023	GLN1939023	Muskan Khan	Karnataka	BANGALORE	FRAZERTOW	111.44
GLN1887150	GLN1887150	Asebulla Shariff	Karnataka	BANGALORE	INFANTRYR	46.22
GLN1883070	GLN1883070	Waseem Z	Karnataka	BANGALORE	MALESWARA	164.53
GLN1913900	GLN1913900	Vignamma .	Karnataka	BANGALORE	MALESWARA	37.99
GLN1936575	GLN1936575	Vignamma .	Karnataka	BANGALORE	MALESWARA	13.17
GLN1666570	GLN1666570	Pavan Kumar Pandyan	Karnataka	BANGALORE	RAJAJINAGA	11.98
GLN1796177	GLN1796177	Asma Parveen N	Karnataka	BANGALORE	RAJAJINAGA	38.15
GLN1817914	GLN1817914	Lokesh R	Karnataka	BANGALORE	RAJAJINAGA	207.32
GLN1819230	GLN1819230	Lokesh R	Karnataka	BANGALORE	RAJAJINAGA	250.82
GLN1912132	GLN1912132	Mohammed Safee Ullakhan	Karnataka	BANGALORE	RTNAGAR	180.7
GLN1183619	GLN1183619	A Kishor Kumar	Karnataka	BANGALORE	RTNAGAR	23.2
GLN1647667	GLN1647667	Chethana S H	Karnataka	BANGALORE	RTNAGAR	25.4
GLN1812571	GLN1812571	Krishna Raju K	Karnataka	BANGALORE	SADASHIVA	467.24
GLN1812606	GLN1812606	Krishna Raju K	Karnataka	BANGALORE	SADASHIVA	462.93
GLN1891944	GLN1891944	Chetan Kumar U S	Karnataka	BANGALORE	SADASHIVA	164.39
GLN1885757	GLN1885757	Aashish Bhootra	Karnataka	BANGALORE	SADASHIVA	21.48
GLN1923807	GLN1923807	Geetha H S	Karnataka	BANGALORE	THIPASANDR	57.78
GLN1976798	GLN1976798	Geetha H S	Karnataka	BANGALORE	THIPASANDR	69.2
GLN1977601	GLN1977601	Enupothula Venugopalreddy	Karnataka	BANGALORE	THIPASANDR	22.7
GLN1833467	GLN1833467	Rakesh R	Karnataka	BANGALORE	VIJAYANAGA	41.38

Bidders are requested to Submit a copy of their Photo – identity, signature and address proof along with their original for verification together with two recent photographs on the day of auction. The Bank reserves the right to change the venue/date/time of auction or cancel the auction without any notice to bidders.

The cost of the auction process will be debited to the customer account. Bank reserves the right to recover the balance amount from the customer if the bid amount is insufficient to meet the payoff amount of the account.

For any further details regarding the terms and conditions of the auction, you are required to contact the below mentioned person/s.

Kotak Mahindra Bank Ltd.
Ph - 8197072323

POOMPUHAR SHIPPING CORPORATION LIMITED

(A Government of Tamilnadu Enterprise)
692, Anna Salai, IVth Floor, Nandanam, Chennai - 600 035, India
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E-mail : pscship@gmail.com CIN : U63090TN1974PLC006596

GLOBAL TENDER

NOTICE INVITING TENDER FOR LONG TERM TIME CHARTERING OF ONE SELF-TRIMMING PANAMAX GEARLESS / GEARED (OFFERED AS GEARLESS) VESSEL WITH CAPACITY OF ABOUT 70,000 TO 78,000 DWT

Sealed tenders are invited from the Ship owners / disponent owners for the following specification

Tender Number	Lay Days	Period	Last date for issue of Tender book	Tender closing Date & Time	Tender opening Date & Time
H/OP/PANAMAX GEARLESS/151/006/ 2021-22	03.09.2021 to 18.09.2021	6 months +3 months +/-10 days choption	27.08.2021 upto 1200 hours	27.08.2021 at 1500 hours	27.08.2021 at 1530 hours

Prospective bidders are advised to refer our website **www.tamilship.com** and **www.tn.tenders.gov.in** for specific important details. The conditions / requirement mentioned in the website shall be met out by the bidders. This advertisement is an invitation for bid only . The details given in the website are comprehensive.
Further, all communications will be updated through our website only.

DIPR/2424/TENDER/2021 GENERAL MANAGER (OPS)

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank

(A Government of India Undertaking)

Kanakapura Branch
Post Bag no 2, Church Street,
Near Town Police Station,
Kanakapura, Ramanagara Dist-562117 Tel: 080-27525300, 27522223, email: cb0594@canarabank.com

(Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Properties)

SALE NOTICE

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Properties under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged /charged to the Secured Creditor, the possession of which has been taken by the **Authorized Officer of Kanakapura Branch , Ramanagara District of the Canara Bank, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and " Whatever there is" on 07.09.2021,@ 11.30 AM to 12.30 AM.** for recovery of **Rs.1,67,37,436.00** (Rupees One Crore Sixty Seven Lakhs, Thirty Seven Thousand and Four Hundred and Thirty Six only) together with further interest, costs and expenses, due to **Kanakapura Branch, Ramanagara District of Canara Bank** with further interest as applicable from M/s. **Chamundeshwari Granites & Exports And M/s. Chamundeshwari Bricks Industries**

The reserve price will be **Rs.80.00** Lakhs and the earnest money deposit will be **Rs. 8,00,000/-** (Rupees Eighty lakhs only). The Earnest Money Deposit shall be deposited on or before **06.09.2021**

Details and full description of the property: Item No 1: All that piece and parcel of property bearing Khatha No's 6136/5614 and 6139/5617 located at ward No 17, Teachers colony, Kanakapura, Ramanagara District, Karnataka -562117 measuring East to West 40 Feet and North to South 30 feet and 10 feet totally measuring 1200 SQ Ft and 400 Sq Ft. Bounded by East by: Property of Kuruhina Shetty, West by: BWSSB Road North by: Property of Chinnaswamy South by: Property of Chinnaswamy

Item No 2: All that piece and parcel of property bearing Khatha Nos 6143/5621 located at Ward No 17, Teachers colony, Kanakapura Town, Kanakapura, Ramanagara District, Karnataka -562117 measuring East to west 100 Feet and North to South (20 feet plus 30 feet)/2, totally measuring 2500 Sq Ft and bounded on Bounded by East by: Property of Kuruhina Shetty, West By: BWSSB Road, North By: Property of the vendor, South by: Proeprty of ShriPrakash

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in **https://www.canarabank.com/english/announcements/sale-notice/karnataka/** provided on the Secured Creditors' Website i.e **www.canarabank.com** or may contact **Chief Manager, Kanakapura Branch, Canara Bank, Ph. No.9483530594, 080-27525300,** during office hours on any working day.

Place: Kanakapura
Date : 16.08.2021

Sd/- Authorised officer
Canara Bank

STATE BANK OF INDIA

Retail Assets Central Processing Centre (RACPC) - III,Banaswadi
Maruti Mansion, 7M -422, 80 Feet Road, Kalyan Nagar,
Bengaluru -560043, TEL No: 080 -25943791/92, FAX No: 080 -25943793,
E-mail Id: sbi.15628@sbi.co.in

POSSESSION NOTICE

Under Rule 8(1) (For Immovable Properties)

WHEREAS, the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the State Bank of India under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued Demand Notices calling upon the following borrowers/mortgagors to repay their loan amount mentioned in their respective demand notices with further interest +incidental expenses within 60 days from the date of the said notices. The details of demand notices such as name and address of the borrowers/mortgagors, date of issue, loan outstanding amount, description of secured assets including present loan outstanding etc., are furnished hereunder:

1. **Name & Address of the Borrower/Mortgagor: Mr. Sreekanth Chava,** No.8, Knox Street, Frewville South, Australia – 5063, **Also at:** Flat No.48, Pent House, Crescent Heights Apts., Nellore – 524004. **Office Address:**Mr. Sreekanth Chava, Victoria Institute of Technology Pvt. Ltd., No.14/123 Queen St, Melbourne VIC 3000, Australia
No.GWR/11290/HL/07 **A/c Nos.HTL 38960100159, Suraksha -38961476429**
Demand Notice Date: 02.01.2021& Demand Notice Paper publication dated 20.03.2021
Loan Outstanding amount as per Demand Notice: Rs.3,60,78,125/- (Rupees Three Crore Sixty Lakh Seventy Eight Thousand One Hundred Twenty Five Only) as on 28.12.2020+ interest from 29.12.2020+ incidental expenses.
Present Loan Outstanding: Rs.3,76,72,569/- (Rupees Three Crore Seventy Six Lakh Seventy Two Thousand Five Hundred Sixty Nine Only) as on 11.08.2021 and interest from 12.08.2021 + expenses thereon.
Possession Taken date : 13.08.2021
Description of the Immovable Property: SCHEDULE – 'A' PROPERTY : (ENTIRE PROPERTY):
ITEM NO: 1: All that piece and parcel of Residential Converted land bearing Sy No.60/5, measuring to an extent of 0-31.5 Guntas situated at Devanahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural District, Bangalore. converted for Residential purpose vide conversion order bearing No. ALN(D)SR259/2006-2007 dated 26/10/2009 BY Deputy Commissioner Bangalore Rural District, Bangalore and bounded as follows: East by : Land belongs to Mariyamma, West by: Sy. No.59, North by : Land Belongs to Subbaiah, South by : Land Belongs to Appayanna,
ITEM NO: 2: All that piece and parcel of Residential Converted land bearing Sy No-59, measuring to an extent of 0-14.5 Guntas out of 17.5 Guntas situated at Devanahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural District, Bangalore. converted for Residential purpose vide conversion order bearing No.ALN(D)SR259/2006-2007 dated 26/10/2009 By Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore Rural District, Bangalore and bounded as follows: East by: Land belongs toMuninarayanappa,West by: Land belongs to Munihanumakka, North by: Doddaballapura Main Road, South by: Land Belongs to Jayamma and Gopal,
ITEM NO: 3: All that piece and parcel of Residential Converted land bearing Sy No.59, measuring to an extent of 0-17.25 Guntas and 34.75 Guntas situated at Devanahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural District, Bangalore. converted for Residential purpose vide conversion order bearing No.ALN(D)SR259/2006-2007 dated 26/10/2009 by Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore Rural District, Bangalore and bounded as follows: East by: Land belongs to Jayamma and Gopal,West by: Land belongs to Muniyappa, North by:Land Belongs to Mumhanumakka, South by: Land Belongs to Narayanappa,
Item. No.1,2 and 3 totally measuring 2 Acres 20.75 Guntas out of which only 2 Acres 18 Guntas is converted for residential purpose bearing No ALN(D)SR259/2006-2007 dated 26/10/2009 by Deputy Commissioner Bangalore Rural District, Bangalore.
SCHEDULE – 'B' PROPERTY: (Property conveyed under this Deed) (SITE) 2800 Sq. Ft undivided right, Title, interest in the and comprised in the Schedule-'A' property.
SCHEDULE - 'C' PROPERTY: (Property conveyed under this Deed) (BUILT UP AREA): All the Piece and parcel of the Residential **Villa bearing No A-10**, of **"JCN BRUNDHAVANA"** bearing Sy. No.59 and 60/5 situated at Devanahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural District. converted for Residential purpose vide conversion order bearing No.ALN(D)SR259/2006-2007 dated 26/10/2009 and its Ward No.9, Division 1, Municipality Katha No.195/59/60/5 and approved by BIAAPA Plaining authority, Devanahalli vide it's No BIAAPA/TPI /AN/LAO/10/2015-16/4022, dated 22/01/2016 Constructed on Schedule – 'A' Property, Villa Consisting of Basement 1086 Sq. Ft, Ground Floor 1226 Sq. Ft. First Floor 1226 sq. Ft and second floor 743 Sq. Ft. totally 4281.57 Sq. Ft with Four Bedrooms, a Kitchen, Four Bathrooms, a Dining Hall, Lift, Home theatre Room, Servant Quarters, in a super built up area and with proportionate share in common areas such as passage, lobbies, and other areas of common use in Schedule – 'A' property, separate electricity. The said Villa standing in the name of Mr. Sreekanth Chava, S/o Mr. Nageswararao Chava, vide Sale Deed dated 30.11.2019 and Registered as Document No.DNH-1-08299/2019-20 and CD No.DNHD919 dated 06.12.2019 at SRO, Devanahalli, Bengaluru and bounded on: East by :Entrance Garden, West by :Camanaria Garden, North by :Villa No.11 of 'A' Block, South by :Villa No. 9 of 'A' Block.
2. **Name and Address of the Borrower/Mortgagor: Mr. S. Ramesh,**S/o. Mr. Sundar Raj, No.1327, 1st Cross, A.M.C Road, Kushal Nagar, Arabic College Post, K. G. Halli, Bengaluru-560 045.
Office Address: Mr. S. Ramesh, Helper, Rail Wheel Factory, Yelahanka, Bengaluru – 560 064
No. GWR/70557/HL/3372 **A/c No.HTL 37252100016**
Demand Notice Date: 20.12.2019
Loan Outstanding amount as per Demand Notice : Rs.27,87,866/- (Rupees Twenty Seven Lakh Eighty Seven Thousand Eight Hundred Sixty Six Only) as on 19.12.2019 + interest from 20.12.2019 + incidental expenses
Present Loan Outstanding: Rs.27,53,166/-(RupeesTwenty Seven Lakh Fifty Three Thousand One Hundred Sixty Six Only) as on 11.08.2021 and interest from 12.08.2021 + expenses thereon.
Possession Taken date : 16.08.2021
Description of the Immovable Property: [Property Owned & Mortgaged by Shri. S. Ramesh, securing Housing Loan A/c. No.37252100016]: All that piece and parcel of the immovable Property bearing Site No.38, Katha No.1327, Assessment Nos.119 & 121, situated at Kadugondanahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, Bengaluru, measuring on the Eastern side: 33 (Thirty Three) feet, on the Western side: 39 (Thirty Nine) feet, on the Northern side: 35 (Thirty Five) feet, on the Southern side: 33 (Thirty Three) feet, in all totally measuring 1224 square feet and building constructed thereon along with all the rights, liberties, appurtenances, privileges etc., whether underneath or above the surface and standing in the name of Shri. S. Ramesh S/o. Late Y. Sunder Raj, vide Sale Deed dated 09.07.2004 and registered as Document No.BLN-1-16522/2004-05 and CD No. BLND27 dated 09.07.2004 at SRO, Bengaluru North Taluk, Bengaluru and bounded on the: East by: Road, West by: Site No.39 belonging to the Vendor, North by: Site No.35,South by: Road.

The above named borrowers/mortgagors having failed to repay the entire loan amount as mentioned in their respective demand notices, notice is hereby given to the borrowers/mortgagors and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the properties described herein above in exercise of powers conferred on him under section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said Rules on **above mentioned dates**

The borrowers/mortgagors in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the aforesaid properties and any dealings with any of the said properties will be subject to the charge of the State Bank of India for the related present loan outstanding amount as mentioned against the respective borrowers/mortgagors' with further interest accrued together with incidental expenses thereon

The borrowers/mortgagors' attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to redeem the secured assets.

Place: Bengaluru,
Date :16.08.2021

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Authorised Officer

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In a landmark judgment, the Kerala High Court has allowed the plea of a single mother, who conceived through In vitro fertilisation (IVF), seeking a directive to the state government to strike off the column in the birth certificate, where details of the child's father have to be entered

Union minister offers more support, vaccines to Kerala

Appreciates state's zero wastage of vax, says don't lower guard before Onam

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ T'Puram

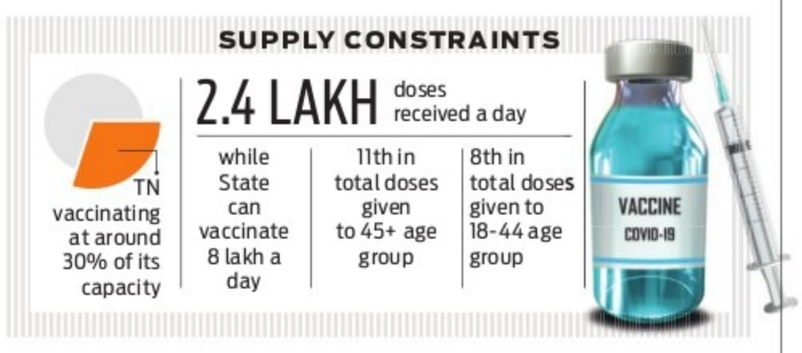
UNION Health Minister Mansukh Mandaviya offered all possible support including more Covid vaccine to the state to tackle the complex situation prevailing now. During his maiden visit to the capital after taking charge of the health ministry, Mandaviya held a lengthy discussion with Chief Minister Pinarayi Vijayan, Health Minister Veena George and other senior officials.

The union minister appreciated the state government for the Covid management strategies and the advanced health infrastructure. He termed the state's zero wastage in vaccines, a model to follow, and said it was a feat acknowledged by the Prime Minister Narendra Modi. The words of appreciation from the centre came at a time when the state was subjected to widespread criticism, citing the continuing high rate of infection in the country.

Mandaviya also offered aid to improve health infrastructure in the wake of a possible third wave. He cautioned against lowering guard during Onam as the state continues to have high infection rate. Later, Mandaviya said in a statement that the centre has decided to allocate Rs 267.35 crore to Kerala under Emergency COVID Response Package- II.

"This fund will strengthen the state's health infrastructure and effectively manage Covid. Besides Rs 1 crore will be made available to each district for creating a medicine pool," he said. In the meeting, the central minister also announced support for the centre of excellence for telemedicine facilities in each district.

The state on Monday reported 12,294 new positive cases.


SUPPLY CONSTRAINTS
TN vaccinating at around 30% of its capacity
2.4 LAKH doses received a day
while State can vaccinate 8 lakh a day
11th in total doses given to 45+ age group
8th in total doses given to 18-44 age group
VACCINE
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SUPPLY CONSTRAINTS MAR TN'S VACCINATION RATE

OMJASVIN MD @ Chennai

INADEQUATE supply of vaccines continues to hamper the vaccination drive in Tamil Nadu. While the State has a capacity to inoculate eight lakh people a day, the average vaccination hovers around 2.4 lakh, which is a paltry 30 per cent.

Health officials, based on their assessment of manpower and infrastructure in the State, said, "We have close to 50,000 staff trained to vaccinate people while adequate health infrastructure is also present in all districts." An official added that the State has an additional 2,000 public health centres run by municipal corporations. Officials also argued that TN had vaccinated at least 69 lakh children against polio in 2021, during the pandemic, in just a week's time. "This indicated the ability of the State's public health outreach measures. The Central government must ramp up their supply," said an official.

According to the data shared by the Union Health Ministry, as of August 2, Tamil Nadu stood eighth in the country in the number of people, aged above 45, who received the first dose. While seven States administered vaccines to over one crore people in the same age category, Tamil Nadu vaccinated as many as 83,58,273. Meanwhile, the State stands at 11th position in the total number of doses administered to the same age group.

In the 18-44 age group, Tamil Nadu stood eighth again, in the total number of doses administered. While the top seven States gave more than one crore doses, TN had given as many as 97.91 lakh. According to another data released in Lok Sabha on July 30, the State ranked 9th in terms of total number of doses received from the Union government, with about 1.62 crore doses.

Experts opined that although Tamil Nadu has robust manpower and infrastructure to vaccinate people, it is worrying to see the State do it at much lesser rate than its capacity. "TN can actually vaccinate up to 10 lakh people a day. Either the Central government should make use of the Chengalpattu plant or hand it over to the State to boost manufacturing," said Dr K Kolandasamy, former Director of Public Health.

LOOKING AHEAD

'Need tech to address challenges'

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

THE Government of India proposes to set up a National Science & Technology Research University, bringing the Department of Science and Technology's Research and Development institutes under its umbrella, Vice-President M Venkaiah Naidu said here on Monday.

He laid the foundation stone of the 'Innovation & Development Centre' at Jawaharlal Nehru Centre for Advanced Scientific Research (JNCASR) in Bengaluru, and lauded the institution for playing an active role in this regard.

He added that the need of the hour was to inculcate scientific temper from a young age, and promote world-class scientific research that addresses societal problems. He urged the faculty members to ensure a congenial atmosphere for students to study, explore and conduct research.

Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai receives Vice-President M Venkaiah Naidu in Bengaluru on Monday | EXPRESS

Naidu said that research conducted by any institution should be relevant to society -- be it academic or industrial. "In this context, translational research assumes importance," he said, lauding JNCASR for generating over 300 patents and promoting the establishment of a few startups based on indigenous inventions.

He congratulated Prof C N R Rao, who was nominated to the prestigious International Eni Award, 2020, for research into renewable energy sources and storage. Prof Rao, who will receive the award from the President of Italy in a few months, was deemed an inspiration for scientists not only in India but all over the world.

'Only time will tell what happens now'

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A PhD scholar said the near future is bleak for their country and citizens. "People enjoyed freedom for the last two decades under the security and patronage of the United States. Now that the US has withdrawn its troops, our country has bounded back 50 years," he said.

"I called my family members and they said that the Taliban forces have assured them that no harm would be done to citizens. But there is no guarantee. Communication links could be cut," he said.

Another student said that their families sensed the impending doom a month ago. "Our family members had alerted us and asked us if we could go back. We decided to wait for some more time as we are pursuing our studies. Now, things have gone bad for our parents and relatives," he added.

"Middle class and poor families are struggling to get even basic food items as prices have gone through the roof," he said.

"We cannot decide anything now. We cannot even bring our families here as there are no flights available. Only time will tell what happens next," the hapless students said.

Anusha and Rakshitha Naik from Charamakki Narayana Shetty Memorial Government High School

Udupi students selected for CSIR award

Udupi: Two SSLC students from Charamakki Narayana Shetty Memorial Government High School- Ardi Village, Kundapur, Udupi district - Anusha and Rakshita Naik - have been selected for the CSIR (Council of Scientific and Industrial Research) innovation award (for school children for 2021) for their project 'gas saving kit'. The award is sponsored by Science and Technology Ministry of Union Government. This gas saving kit, once placed on the stove, enables a family of four to source hot water for bathing while cooking food simultaneously. In this device, water moves through a copper coiled frame kept over the flaming stove, and the water that moves through the outlet pipe gets heated in the process.Among 14 schools that have been selected for the award from across the country, this is school is the only government school and the only school from the state.

HAL conducts taxi trials of aircraft

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

HINDUSTAN Aeronautics Limited (HAL) successfully carried out the Ground Run and Low-Speed Taxi Trials (LSTT) of the Hindustan-228 (VT-KNR) aircraft for Directorate General of Civil Aviation (DGCA) 'Type Certification'.

"The event was part of the 75th anniversary of India's Independence Day celebrations at HAL's Kanpur facility," said a statement issued by HAL. Sajal Prakash, CEO of HAL's Accessories Complex, termed it a major milestone for the first fixed-wing Made In India civil aircraft and a step forward towards strengthening regional air connectivity.

"The aircraft can be utilised successfully by civil operators and state governments for their intra and inter-state connectivity with seamless support towards training, maintenance and logistics," HAL stated.

The Hindustan-228 is a 19-seat multi-role utility aircraft built for various applications such as VIP transport, passenger transport, air ambulance, flight inspection roles, cloud seeding and recreational activities like para jumping, aerial surveillance, photography and cargo applications.

WILTING OPTIMISM

The usually crowded and bustling flower market of Kochi wears a deserted look before Onam for the second consecutive year due to the pandemic. Vendors are worried about less business again this year | ALBIN MATHEWS

Couple injured in LPG blast

BENGALURU: An elderly couple sustained burn injuries in a LPG gas cylinder blast inside their house on Sunday night. Suryanarayana Shetty (74), and his wife Pushwathamma (71) sustained burn injuries and their house was partially damaged. The blast also shattered the window panes of the adjacent house. The FSL officials conducted a spot inspection and concluded that the blast occurred due to domestic gas leak and electric short circuit, the police said. The injured were rushed to a private hospital and their condition is stable. Their son, who stays on the ground floor, was unhurt. A senior police officer said that the incident occurred around 1.30 am. The neighbours rushed to the house to douse the fire and alerted the fire and emergency service. A police team, along with FSL experts, conducted a spot inspection. ENS

2K Gulf returnees set up steel factory

ENS @ Kozhikode

WHAT next? That is the question almost every Gulf returnee in Kerala keeps asking when he/she realises that even decades of toil in the desert was not enough to see off their liabilities. When a group of 2,000 people from Thikkodi in Kozhikode, all returned from various West Asian countries, put their heads together and pondered their future, they remembered the adage 'unity is strength' and decided they could do something concrete to tide over the worry.

Thus the Global Thikkodian Forum (GTF) was born. And their maiden venture, GTF Steel, a ₹18-crore steel factory, will be up and running from Wednesday. Chief Minister Pinarayi Vijayan will inaugurate.

EXPRESS READ

Aspiring actress duped of gold ornaments

Bengaluru: A 32-year-old man, brother of a notorious rowdy-sheeter, duped an aspiring actress of gold ornaments on the pretext of marrying her. The woman approached the Rajagopalnagar police claiming that Harish, brother of Kunigal Giri who is in jail, befriended her one-and-a-half years ago. A few days ago, he came to her house and promising to marry her, took her gold ornaments worth Rs 5 lakh. She also alleged that on August 10, she had filed a case with the police against him, but Harish started threatening her and later gave her a cheque of Rs 1 lakh which bounced. She said that even Giri made threat calls to her and her mother, and demanded that she withdraw the complaint. Rajagopalnagar police have booked Harish and his brother Giri. ENS

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POSSESSION NOTICE [Rule 8 (1)] (For Immovable property)

Whereas, The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of the **The Malleswaram Co-Operative Bank Ltd.** under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 13 (2) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002 issued and demand notice calling upon the undersigned borrowers/ legal heirs to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under Section (4) of Section 13 of the Act read with rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on below mentioned dates.

The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the **The Malleswaram Co-Operative Bank Ltd.** for an below mentioned amount together with incidental expenses, cost, charges etc., till the date of realization.

The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of Section 13 (8) of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

1. Borrower Name and Address : 1) Sri. Ramaswamy V N S/o Late Nagarajaiah V **2) Sri. Raghavendra V R** S/O Ramaswamy V N **3) Smt. Nagarathna A V** W/O Ramaswamy V N **4) Smt. Thejaswini H V** W/O Raghavendra V R **All Residing At**: No 171, 20th Main Road, J P Nagar, 2nd Phase, Marenahalli Bangalore-560078
Demand Notice : 05.06.2021 **Possession Notice Dated: 16.08.2021**
Balance outstanding: Rs. 93,17,633/- [Rupees Ninety Three lakhs Seventeen thousand Six hundreden ThirtyThree Only] as on **31.07.2021** and interest thereon.
Description of the property: All that piece and parcel of the residential immovable property bearing No. 171, Khatha No.572, Marenahalli Village, Uttara Halli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Presently BBMP Muncipal New No.18/(Old No. 171), 20th Main Road, Marenahalli Village, 2nd Phase, J P Nagar, P I D No.57-302-18, Bangalore. including all rights privileges and appurtenances thereto constructed in the site measuring East to West 36 Feet, North to South 30 Feet, Total area 1080 Sq.Ft. and bounded as follows: East By: BDA Road, West By: Property No.04, North By: Property No.172, South By : Property No.171A.

2. Borrower Name and Address : 1) Mrs. Maria Sivan W/O Manuthadiyil Sivan **2) Mr.Manuthadiyil Sivan** S/O Gopalan Nair K V **3) Mrs. Shanthi Beulah Prince** W/O Prince Devaraj James **4) Mr.Prince Devaraj James** S/O James D Herbert **All Are Residing At**: No.556, Behind Gadi Muddanna House, Kamakshipalya, Bangalore-560079
Demand Notice : 09.06.2021 **Possession Notice Dated: 16.08.2021**
Balance outstanding: Rs.69,28,468/- [Rupees Sixty Nine lakhs Twenty Eight thousand Four hundreden Sixty Eight only] **as on 31.07.2021** and interest thereon.
Description of the property: All that piece and parcel of the residential immovable Property Bearing House List No.7:7, Khatha No.7:7, situated at Kamakshipalya Gramatana, Sanegoravanahalli Dhakale, Yeshwanthpur Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore Presently Muncipal New No.26, PID NO.18-46-26, Situated at 6th Main, Kamakshipalya, Bangalore including all rights, privileges and appurtenances thereto, constructed the site measuring East to West 45 + 49/2 Feet, North to South 34 Feet, Total area 1598 Sq.Ft., and bounded as follows: East by: Gangamma's Property, West By: Road, North By : Susheelamma's Property, South By: Jayamma's Property. .

3. Borrower Name and Address : 1) Mr.Neelakanta M S/O Mahadevaiah K B **2) Mrs.Bhagya M** W/O.Neelakanta M **3) Mr. Bharath N** S/O Neelakanta M **4) Mrs.Ankitha N** D/O.Neelakanta M **All Are Residing At**: No.70, Gangadharnagar, Sarakki Gate, J P Nagar Post, Bangalore-560078
Demand Notice : 10.06.2021 **Possession Notice Dated: 16.08.2021**
Balance outstanding: Rs.43,62,914/- [Rupees Forty Three lakhs Sixty Two thousand Nine hundreden Fourteen only] as on **31.07.2021** and interest thereon.
Description of the property: All that piece and parcel of the residential immovable Property Bearing No.41, (Old No 41/69/70) Katha No.69/3, Jaraganahalli Village, Uttarahalli Hobli Bangalore South Taluk, Presently BBMP Municipal New No.25(Old No.41/69/3/70)situated at Gangadhara Nagara, 6th Cross, Bangalore. PID NO.56-173-25, including all rights, privileges and appurtenances thereto, constructed the site measuring East to West 30 Feet, North to South 37+45/2 Feet, Total Area 1230 Sq Feet and bounded as follows: East by : Property No.40, West By: Property No.42,North By: Narayanaswamy's Property, South By : 22 Feet Road.

Date : 16.08.2021
Place: Bangalore

Sd/-
Authorised Officer
The Malleswaram Co-Operative Bank Ltd.,

Tricolour not hoisted in six reserved TN panchayats

S GODSON WISELY DASS @ Thoothukudi

IT seems political empowerment is just an illusion for these panchayat presidents even as the country marked its 75th Independence Day on Sunday. Over six village panchayats in Thoothukudi district did not hoist the national flag on August 15 because the presidents belonged to the Scheduled Castes, it is alleged.

The panchayats in question are Villiseri panchayat in Kovilpatti taluk, Ayan Vadamalapuram and Ramanoothu panchayat in Ettayapuram, Ariyanayagipuram, Muthaiapuram and K Duraisamypuram near Nagalapuram panchayat in Vilathikulam taluk, according to the Ambedkar Periyar Marxists Unarvalargal Kootamaippu. The members of the association, consisting of Scheduled Caste and Tribes welfare activists, petitioned District Collector Dr K Senthil Raj in this regard on Monday.

Advocate Beemaraj of the association said that the panchayat secretaries, who are supposed to organise the Independence Day celebrations, had remained largely lethargic from alerting the presidents, because the latter belonged to Scheduled Castes. The secretaries might have worked frantically, if the presidents were from the dominant castes, he said.

A walk through the panchayats

A civic body staff from Ayan Vadamalapuram village told Express that they did not hoist the

Independence Day Celebration

flag because they had no flag mast at the panchayat office premises. President Jeyabal said that the flag pole was broken, and added that he would install one immediately. Although Jeyabal, a class 5 graduate, assisted by his son, a B.Com graduate, denied any caste discrimination in the incident, although he said that flag was hoisted when dominant caste people came to power.

Sources from Villiseri panchayat, too, confirmed that the national flag was not hoisted at the panchayat office. The panchayat has neither a flag pole nor a tricolour, sources alleged. Meanwhile, in K Duraisamypuram village, sources told Express that a retired military personnel, belonging to a caste Hindu community, had hoisted the flag in presence of the Dalit panchayat president, Manjula. She said she did not hoist it as she had to leave for a family function in Madurai. The schools in the village, too, did not invite her on the day, said Manjula.

EDITORIAL

"How many have laid waste to your life when you weren't aware of what you were losing, how much was wasted in pointless grief, foolish joy, greedy desire and social amusements—how little of your own was left to you

Seneca

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— Ramnath Goenka

LOADS OF BIDEN BLUNDERS AS TALIBAN SEIZE POWER IN AF

Even before the ink dried on a US intelligence report claiming the Taliban could capture Kabul in three months, the militia stormed into the capital of Afghanistan, seizing the Presidential Palace and announcing the country would soon be declared an Islamic Emirate. The model of democracy the occupying US forces had sought to incubate in the country for 20 years lay in a shambles. It also marked the tombstone of Afghan women's aspirations for a life of equality and dignity the Western democracy promised to usher in. The abject capitulation of Afghan security forces on whom the US had spent at least $88 billion to raise and train was another failed project. Anyway, the US war in Afghanistan was as flawed as it was in Iraq, since imposing democracy was bound to boomerang. Meddling in the internal affairs of other countries never ends well.

That the Taliban did not even afford the US the face-saver of waiting till the latter's self-declared deadline of full drawdown by this month-end showed the Biden administration's gross miscalculation. While the US President sought to deflect blame saying he inherited the withdrawal timetable from predecessor Trump, the knee-jerk pullout and the Taliban blitzkrieg are Biden's mess. There is no way he can shake this off. Just the other day, 12 nations, including India, said they would not recognise any alternative government created by force. As if the Taliban cared.

Pakistan, of course, is the biggest beneficiary of the geopolitical game. But fuelling the jihadi upsurge could push Islamabad towards the FATF black list on terror financing. China, too, can aspire to benefit by dangling its Belt and Road initiative before the Taliban with dollops of funding. As for India, it stood no chance of protecting its $3-4 billion investment in Afghanistan's infrastructure projects. Also, developing the Chabahar port in Iran was meant to be India's gateway into Afghanistan when the ruling dispensations were anti-Pakistan. With power in Kabul shifting to a Pakistani ally, the port may no longer be as attractive for India. When the dust settles, Delhi will have to find ways to reach out to the Taliban, at least to leash the India-facing jihadi elements Afghanistan is expected to spawn. Everything else would be a bonus.

SEEING OFF OUR JAUNTY JALOPIES IN TIME

Everything living and every piece of machinery has a lifespan. In India, the one exception are our jaunty jalopies, which somehow keep going with the help of roadside garages. They continue to endanger lives and the environment. It is therefore laudable that the prime minister has announced a national vehicle scrapping policy. The policy requires that, after the registration period of a vehicle is over—20 years for passenger cars and 15 for commercial vehicles—they will be put through a fitness test and scrapped if they don't make the mark. The policy, which was first outlined in March this year, if vigorously implemented, can provide the country with a scientific automobile renewal policy.

Significantly, the prime minister mentioned the importance of Alang, Gujarat—home to the world's largest ship-breaking yard. With ships, the lifecycle of 20 years or thereabouts is strictly adhered to by owners as it becomes uneconomical to operate vessels beyond that age. The same logic should be followed by automobile owners too, but somehow the economics of renewal has proved evasive. To add a sweetener, the government is offering a waiver on the registration fee for the new vehicle and the buyer now will get a 25% rebate on road tax.

There are more than five million cars that are over 20 years old and pose a huge danger to road safety. They are super pollutants too and, in the current climate of global warming, should have been off the roads long ago. The policy has also been devised to boost production for the languishing auto sector. However, the fine print should ensure it drives the crossover from gasoline vehicles to the age of pollution-free electric vehicles (EVs). The government must also remember that the policy, to have teeth, must have the necessary infrastructure—a sufficient number of fitness centres and a large network of car scrapping yards that are necessary to incentivise people to scrap their old cars. Finally, India is a poor country and the government must ensure easy and affordable access to car finance, without which the scheme is unlikely to take off.

The world of the unicorn seems to be here now, pushing old businesses into scramble mode. The valuation they took over 80 years to achieve is being exceeded in just about 10 by the start-ups

EKASHRINGA VERSUS OLD BUSINESS

HARISH BIJOOR

Brand Guru & Founder, Harish Bijoor Consults

AMIT BANDRE

The world of business is by and large going through a tumult. No one is saying it loud and clear, but every old-world business is feeling the pinch of an assault on its business model, its core philosophy, avatar and most certainly on its valuation metric.

Business in India, for one, is today divided into two clear bins. One is the brick-and-mortar business and the other is the digitally-geared and digitally-leveraged ones. One is something you can see, touch, feel and experience. The other is as virtual as it comes.

Business is, therefore, not as usual. It is business unusual today. Traditional businesses that spent decades putting together their brick and mortar enterprises—whether it be in the realm of agriculture, manufacturing or services—view themselves to be at crossroads today. Boards within these companies are busy trying to decipher the entire environment of tumult they witness all around.

Take the case of a company that manufactures cars. The automotive sector has always been considered to be the one that spins the wheels of the nation in many ways. The biggest one in India has put together large R&D outfits, larger factories that produce vehicles of every kind and even larger systems to help them sell. It has taken all of eight decades and the valuation of these companies today remain at rather sober and sobering levels. This seems to be the case in the realm of FMCG, durables and literally every category that makes physical consumption goods.

The cry of these industries is palpable. The refrain is a simple one. I have invested long decades, energy and money to build something significant. I have large factories that employ thousands, I contribute to the livelihoods of millions and yet my own valuation is not what it must be. And what is that "must be" valuation number? And what do you compare it with?

Until recently, there was nothing to compare. And then things started moving in the direction of the new start-up. There were two kinds of them at play. One was a physical start-up that had a physical coffee shop model and the other a D2C (direct to consumer) coffee enterprise (which had just about nothing to itself but was out there competing for revenues from the kitty of the established old brand of MNC coffee).

These new start-ups got ambitious, built distribution infrastructure digitally and created new avatars of branding, selling and marketing. The basic brand had built for it a digital backbone that helped it reach its message out to the market by itself. This was a kind of digital anarchy at play. It did not require self-owned deep investments into physical infrastructure and, to an extent, was insulated from the vagaries of traditional old businesses. This play was a disruption.

The new models of the new world of business disrupt old competencies, once considered vital and critical. The hitherto considered "barriers to entry" were no barriers at all anymore. In moments, these barriers seemed fragile and easy to crack into. Old businesses with a mindset of deep investments into R&D, production, manufacturing infrastructure, selling and distribution and marketing seemed a thing of the past. Or well nigh nearly that.

The obvious drubbing comes now with a spate of new ventures of every kind cobbling together mind-boggling valuations for themselves, literally overnight (if you are to compare them to old businesses and the time they have taken to reach their deep business valuation numbers).

> The new models in the world of business disrupt old competencies. ... The dust of all this confusion will take time to settle. And from the ashes of the scuffle will emerge firm signs of what is real and what is notional in the valuation game

The valuation numbers of new businesses put together over the last 10 years seems to far exceed the valuation numbers of those physical ones put together over the last 80 years, on a straight line basis. In many ways, what was done over 80 long years seems to pale in significance to what has been done over the last 10 years. A niggling point for many a business owner and group.

The world of the unicorn seems to be here, and how! What was once a rare mythical beast is today a reality at every new business nook and corner. Businesses that cobble together a valuation of more than $1 billion seem to be happening everywhere. Do look at the numbers. At last count, the world had 652 unicorns. The US led with 390, followed by China (172) and India (53). The UK, Germany, South Korea, Israel and Brazil follow with double-digit numbers.

The Indian unicorn (shall we call it an *ekashringa*?) therefore comes with baffling numbers of valuations that attract both awe and scorn, depending on which side of the business fence you sit, old or new. Today, Paytm is aiming for a valuation at $25 billion and RazorPay is all of $3 billion. Among food delivery start-ups, we have Zomato at $8.6 billion and Swiggy at $3 billion. Mouth-watering numbers, really.

Old businesses are therefore in scramble mode. There is confusion galore. There is a big urge to hedge their bets. Every old business wants a piece of the new pie. Old-world businesses are therefore scrambling to put together a digital avatar for themselves. The clarion call is to either buy out, carve, beg, borrow or steal this new competence of the digital world for themselves. And in the bargain many mistakes will be made, but that's a different story altogether.

The dust of all this confusion will take time to settle. And from the ashes of the scuffle will emerge firm signs of what is real and what is notional in the valuation game ahead of us.

Even as we wait for all this to happen, it is important to understand that every business, physical or virtual, has three components to it. The solid, the liquid and the gas. How much of what vests in each of these two business types will decide what lasts and what dies out as a valuation fad of the heady moment.

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A MAKEOVER FOR INDIA-AFRICA ECONOMIC TIES

CHANDRAJIT BANERJEE

Director General, Confederation of Indian Industry

The India-Africa partnership is set for a major makeover as both sides seek economic self-reliance to insulate their respective economies from external shocks. India's reforms process resonates with Africa's aspirations of accelerating its infrastructure development, manufacturing growth, farm sector modernisation, services sector expansion, digital transformation and reliable healthcare services to build self-sufficiency.

Over the years, India's model of cooperation with Africa has been demand-driven, consultative and participative, involving local resources, supported by capacity-building initiatives, and based on Africa's own prioritisation of its needs. The Indian government and industry recognise Africa's pursuance of "Africa-owned" and "Africa-led" development. Therefore, our nation's engagement with Africa is governed by the overarching goal of enhancing the region's self-reliance.

Today, as the landmark African Continental Free Trade Area (AfCFTA) gains ground after coming into effect on 1 January 2021, India is keen to play a partnership role by participating strongly in physical infrastructure development projects that are vital for expanding intra-regional trade. The continental FTA is expected to push up intra-regional trade from the current level of about 17% of Africa's total trade to an estimated 52% in a five-year period with removal of tariffs on 90% of the goods. Indian industry would be encouraged to establish businesses in the 230 special economic zones (SEZs) in Africa and benefit from the wider market access that the AfCFTA promises to deliver, while contributing to the strengthening of regional value chains that are vital to Africa's industrialisation.

At the 16th CII EXIM Bank Conclave on India-Africa Project Partnerships, the Indian industry emphasised the need to develop strategies to step up investments in African infrastructure projects, going beyond the government's lines of credit (LoCs). Public-private partnership (PPP) would be the preferred route for Indian companies channelling investments in Africa's infrastructure sector and bankable projects can be offered by African countries for this. In recent years, there has also been a felt need for more innovative financing mechanisms to encourage Indian companies to establish and grow their footprint in Africa. The deployment of debt funds, pensions funds, green and blue bonds for environment-sensitive projects, among others, needs to be considered. This may be accompanied by initiatives to deepen Africa's equity and debt markets.

Manufacturing growth is critical to Africa's economic self-reliance and sustained GDP growth. African governments are emphatically urging Indian industry to invest in their manufacturing industries and leverage the benefits of doing business in the unified market of the AfCFTA. However, there are regulations pertaining to rules of origin and non-tariff barriers that need to be harmonised by the AfCFTA Secretariat in sync with India.

The Comprehensive Economic Cooperation and Partnership Agreement (CECPA) signed by India and Mauritius is another major milestone in the annals of the India-Africa partnership. This is the first FTA that India has signed with an African country; more could be negotiated between India and different African governments in the future. At the recently held 16th CII EXIM Bank Conclave, trade ministers participating in the deliberations suggested that India and the African Union may explore the opportunity of negotiating a comprehensive free trade agreement in the not-too-distant future.

> With the landmark African Continental Free Trade Area coming into effect, India is keen to play a partnership role by participating in physical infrastructure development projects. Indian industry should consider establishing businesses in the 230 SEZs in Africa

It is pertinent to note that over the last 20 years, India's trade with Africa grew several fold, from about $1.5 billion in 2000 to a high of $71.4 billion in 2014-15. However, in the last 10 years, bilateral trade growth largely moved sideways, recording a decline to $62.8 billion in 2017-18 and $55.9 billion in 2020-21. This is despite India being Africa's third largest trade partner.

The range-bound trade growth may be attributed to lack of diversification of the bilateral trade basket as well as limited geographical diversification. Five African countries exporting to India command over 66% share of the total exports, whereas the remaining 50 countries have a mere 33% share of the export pie.

In this scenario, it is incumbent on India and particularly the least developing countries (LDCs) of Africa to deepen and broaden bilateral trade flows, whereby all 34 African LDCs effectively utilise the duty-free tariff preference (DFTP) scheme that Government of India offers to them. The DFTP scheme would be best leveraged when the beneficiary economies develop their manufacturing sectors and target Indian markets for value-added goods.

The pandemic has also set in motion Africa's call to Indian industry for directing investments in the region's public healthcare infrastructure and systems, drugs and pharmaceuticals production capacities, and tertiary healthcare facilities, while also collaborating for creating capacity for vaccine production.

India is also helping Africa to bridge the digital divide through the second phase of the pan-Africa e-Network project—e-VidyaBharati and e-ArogyaBharati Network Project. These aim to provide five years of free tele-education to 4,000 students, free medical education to 1,000 doctors/nurses/paramedics and free medical consultancy.

The India-Africa bilateral partnership would be greatly supported by deep cooperation to reinforce food and energy security of both regions. Toward this, Africa's enhanced participation in the International Solar Alliance (ISA) will be a great step forward.

A great future indeed beckons the enduring India-Africa partnership as the world braces for the post-pandemic new normal. We can look forward to the Africa Century that is co-terminus with the Asia Century.

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A state of anarchy

The news that Afghanistan President Ashraf Ghani fled from Kabul as the Taliban entered makes one feel sad for the plight of ordinary citizens in the country. The US has left Afghanistan in a state of anarchy. The worst part is the nation's military surrendering to the Taliban without a fight. What kind of training did the military get from the US?

Hemanth Bhide, Mangaluru

Shameful escape

The ignominious retreat of the Afghan army and shameful escape of the president is disgraceful. His saying that he left Kabul to avoid bloodshed is laughable. This is a leader who ran without a fight and left his people at the mercy of the Taliban mercenaries.

Anirudh Srinivasan, Secunderabad

Many people with Taliban?

It is strange that the Afghan army could not contain the Taliban in spite of having advanced equipment supplied by the US, India, etc., along with well-trained personnel. It was reported that the army allegedly surrendered without putting up a fight. This shows that a sizable percentage of the nation seems to be with the Taliban.

Dr M Haneef, Kottayam

Threat to our investments

Although the Taliban spokesperson has recently appreciated India's humanitarian and developmental efforts in Afghanistan, their coming to power threatens our stakes as well as our investments in various projects. It is noteworthy that even though the Taliban seems to have promised safety to the Russian embassy, no such thing has happened in our case. Hence, keeping alive the hope of continuing the infrastructure projects is meaningless, especially owing to Pakistan's influence over the Taliban.

N A Joseph, Ettumanoor

Need a fair investigation

This is with reference to *Punish unruly Opposition MPs, ministers tell Naidu* (Aug 16). One must bear in mind that the incidents that led to utter chaos in the Rajya Sabha were the result of the government refusing to oblige the opposition by agreeing to its repeated demands for a debate on the Pegasus issue. Opposition MPs have alleged that the videos of the chaos released by the Centre were carefully edited versions and that women MPs were manhandled by male marshals. As there are conflicting versions, initiating action against just opposition MPs without a fair investigation might not be just.

C V Aravind, Bengaluru

TN's laudable fuel price cut

This is with reference to *Why Tamil Nadu Budget is a model for others* (Aug 16). Tamil Nadu surely showed the way for other states by reducing the tax on petrol by ₹3 per litre. Others are still blaming the Centre alone for the unprecedented fuel price hike. They must think about what they can do in this regard. The state share of revenue is high in the sale of petroleum products and it is also their responsibility to address this situation.

K R Parvathy, Mysuru

Open schools gradually

This is with reference to *AP must tweak school reopening policy* (Aug 16). It is not advisable to throw open the school gates for all classes at once. Instead, schools should first be opened for higher classes, say Class 10 to 12, then to Classes 6 to 9 and finally Classes 1 to 5.

S Vaithianathan, Madurai

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TWEETS OF THE DAY

Omar Abdullah @OmarAbdullah
I don't grudge the US their departure from Afghanistan but this wasn't the way to leave. This is on Joe Biden, you can't blame Trump for this.

Davendra Fadnavis @Dev_Fadnavis
Many schemes of Khadi and Village Industries Commission support youth in interest subsidy. In this new era, self-employment should be the focus.

Sitaram Yechury @SitaramYechury
Modi makes a mockery of the plight of Indians. Destroys our economy, making people more unequal than ever. He recycles old hollow words from 2019.

Observers assert void left by Washington leaves countries like Afghanistan in the lurch ● Security experts wary of the Taliban's impact on Kashmir situation

Af exit is latest chapter of USA's failed interventions

PUSHKAR BANAKAR @New Delhi

THE sudden withdrawal of American troops has resulted in the Taliban taking over from Afghanistan and plunging it in chaos, but this is not the first time that the US has left a country to fend for itself after 'intervention'.

Vietnam in 1970s and Iraq in 2011 bear testimony to this fact. Experts say the US actions are in self-interest and done in response to its failed wars. "The financial and physical costs are eventually considered far outweighing the expected strategic benefits of remaining there. Domestic political considers sometimes also play a role in the withdrawal decisions too," Moscow-based political analyst Andrew Korybko said.

According to Korybko, the US might promise to continue economically, militarily, and supporting their proxy governments there, but this isn't always possible if they've been overthrown like what just happened in Afghanistan. "In such situations, the US tries to flexibly adapt to changing circumstances (which are oftentimes foreseeable in advance but not always taken seriously by decision makers)," he added.

A researcher based in Washington, who did not wish to be named, said that the American actions raise concern among allies and partners with regard to dependability. "The way that the withdrawal occurred like abandoning the (Bagram) base at night and similar decisions are evidence of it."

Korybko said the overall impact of the US' abandonment is that it risks creating a security and strategic void that will inevitably be filled by others, either state actors or non-state ones. "Depending on the outcome, this could either stabilise or destabilise their regions even more. It'll require closer coordination between relevant stakeholders in each case to ensure that the worst-case scenarios don't transpire."

Sanjay Pulipaka, a senior fellow at the Delhi Policy Group, said the US 'interventions' have not always been unsuccessful like after the Second World War in Europe. "A common factor in Vietnam, Iraq and Afghanistan, was the presence of porous borders and constant supply of weapons from an external actor. The ability of an external actor to muddy waters created conditions for failure of the US interventions."

In the case of Iraq, Pulipaka said, the US intervention started with an objective to identify/remove weapons of mass destruction, and nation-building was added to the objectives. Therefore, the absence of clearly defined military objectives contributed to the intervention's failure.

"When it intervened in Afghanistan, the conditions for a successful mission were very much in place. The overthrow of the Taliban received considerable support from people. However, the US, instead of focusing on completing its mission, ventured into Iraq. As a consequence, it conducted two massive interventions in two countries simultaneously."

The senior fellow said other major powers have also faced failure like the Soviets and added that American interventions have not undermined the foundations of the US economy.

A volunteer carries an injured man as other people can be seen waiting at the Kabul airport on Monday | AFP

AI cancels Kabul flight, airlines divert routes

New Delhi: An Air India commercial flight scheduled to fly to Afghanistan was cancelled on Monday as its airspace was closed for commercial flights. After the closure of airspace, flights between Delhi and the West, are bound to take a longer alternate routes. An official from the airline said that Air India's Chicago-Delhi was enroute when the restrictions came into force. The flight was diverted for refuelling before continuing its journey to Delhi.

'World needs to be united in supporting Afghans'

New Delhi: India appealed the international community to come together for supporting the people of Afghanistan. At the UN, New Delhi added that the situation is of concern. "Afghanistan has already seen enough bloodshed in the past. It is time for the international community to come together unitedly, rising above any partisan interests, to support Afghans in their desire for peace, stability and security in the country," it said.

'India should host Afghan refugees like Lankan Tamils'

BALA CHAUHAN @Bengaluru

THE Taliban takeover is not a good prognosis for India's security and trade with hostile neighbours on either side of its borders, who have close proximity to the Taliban, said D Suba Chandran of International Strategic & Security Studies, National Institute of Advanced Studies (NIAS).

From the security point of view, he said, India will have to be on its toes with the field now wide open for banned terrorist groups like Jaish, Lashkar and Haqqani network to expand their bases and training facilities in Afghanistan.

"It is a tough situation for India. We were not very serious about the Taliban. We now have to open a channel with them, which may not be easy, given their proximity to Pakistan and China. Pakistan is close to both sides of the Taliban — those on the negotiating table in Qatar and those fighting on the ground," said Chandran. "India has large and long term political and economic investments in the embattled country, which stand endangered given the new reality of the Taliban's Islamic Emirate."

"India will have to turn to Iran and Russia for the success of the International North South Transport Corridor (INSTC) — the 13-nation-strong multi-modal trade route which connects India with Central Asia and Russia. It has the potential to expand up to Baltic, Nordic, and Arctic regions. It is difficult to say what cooperation we can expect from Iran and Russia," added Chandran.

On what is the road forward for India, he said: "Given our own limitations, it is important that India hosts Afghan refugees." "We have opened our doors to Tibetans and Tamils. We need to reach out to Afghans similarly."

No regime has lasted more than 10 years, he said, adding India has to wait and watch.

Resurgence of Taliban will embolden terrorists in Kashmir, say experts

Security has been heightened at Afghanistan embassy in New Delhi | SHEKHAR YADAV

SANA SHAKIL & MAYANK SINGH @New Delhi

THERE is unanimity among security experts that the recent developments in Afghanistan will have implications in the insurgency in Kashmir even as they expressed varying degrees of threat to the situation in the Valley.

Former J&K police chief SP Vaid expressed his apprehension in strong words. "Pakistan will now shift terror training camps of Jaish and Lashkar from PoK to Afghanistan for avoiding international scrutiny and for claiming that it has no role in the violence in Kashmir. It suits Pakistan. Anti-India terror groups would get safe havens in Afghanistan."

Asserting that Afghanistan's soil could now be used to plan big attacks such as the 9/11 and embolden terrorists in Kashmir, Vaid said Pakistan may ask the Taliban to divert some of its ranks to J&K for reviving terror operations. "9/11 happened from the soil of Afghanistan while the Taliban were ruling, so what is the guarantee something big like that won't happen again?"

Senior defence analyst Maj Gen SB Asthana (retd) went a step further saying the export of terrorism was "quite possible and will be faster than we expect". Its first impact will be Pakistan itself as the resurgent Taliban would not be so pliant to Islamabad, he added.

Over the past few years multiple reports prepared by the United Nations have claimed that groups like the Jaish-e-Muhammad and Lashkar-e-Taiba were working in close coordination with the Taliban.

Pravin Sawhney, a retired Army officer and strategic analyst, did not consider Taliban's taking over Kabul would have such direct effects on Kashmir, since the Taliban would try to endear itself to the international community for support. However, in his view, Kashmir will not remain unaffected by new regional geopolitics.

"We have our own indigenous problems in J&K. The biggest problem is that we are unable to differentiate between terrorism and insurgency. The problem there is insurgency. What is happening there has the support of people. The Kashmir situation in any case is volatile and people, in my estimation, feel alienated."

He added Pakistan has now a great opportunity to showcase to the world that the China-Pakistan Economic Corridor is indeed the flagship project of Belt and Road Initiative (BRI).

COVID TRACKER

3,81,947 Active cases in India

3,389 Fall in active cases

11,81,212 Tests on Sunday

17,43,114 Doses on Sunday

1.34% Case fatality rate

2.79% Daily positivity rate

97.48% National recovery rate

Up to August 12, 8 am | Source: Union Health Ministry

SC gives Centre four weeks to finalise rules for Covid ex gratia

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @New Delhi

THE Supreme Court on Monday granted four weeks to the Centre for framing guidelines in connection with ex gratia to dependents of those who succumbed to Covid.

The instruction came when the bench comprising Justices DY Chandrachud and MR Shah was hearing a plea by Centre seeking four-week extension of time for the National Disaster Management Authority to frame guidelines in pursuance of order.

"The time for framing of guidelines for ex gratia compensation under Section 12(iii) of the Disaster Management Act is extended by four weeks. However, the Centre shall place on record its response setting out compliance effected of other guidelines," the bench said.

During the hearing, the bench asked Centre's counsel whether the other directions as given by the Court in the order been complied with.

At this, the Centre submitted that the exercise to frame appropriate guidelines is in an active and advanced stage, and requires a little more in-depth review before the same is finalised and implemented.

The top court, in its judgment on June 30, had granted six weeks to the NDMA to frame guidelines for ex- gratia assistance on account of loss of life to the families of Covid victims. It had also ordered steps to simplify guidelines for issuance and correction of 'death certificates/official documents, stating the exact cause of death, that is, 'Death due to Covid' for enabling dependents to get benefits of various welfare schemes.

It had also directed the Centre to take appropriate steps on recommendations of the Finance Commission on providing insurance cover for deaths caused by Covid.

IN REVERENCE

Prime Minister Narendra Modi pays tribute to former PM Atal Bihari Vajpayee on his third death anniversary at Sadaiv Atal in New Delhi on Monday | SHEKHAR YADAV

UP POLLS

BJP aims 50% vote share to blunt any possible Oppn unity

MANISH ANAND @New Delhi

MOVING ahead with its strategy to chase 50 per cent vote share in the Uttar Pradesh polls, the BJP is working on social engineering to blunt the electoral impact of the minority consolidation in favour of any Opposition unity.

With the BJP facing the elections in UP along with Uttarakhand early next year, the saffron outfit is learnt to be banking on its past successes of exploiting the caste dynamics in its favour even when there is an alliance of various political parties identified with specific communities in India's politically most important state. The BJP is in power in both states.

"We work with an aim to get past the 50 per cent vote share, and it will remain the strategy in UP. That is despite the fact that a perfect Opposition unity is only a theoretical proposition. On numerous occasions, it has been demonstrated that the meeting of the hearts of the top leaders doesn't find resonance on the ground," explained a senior BJP functionary.

The Opposition unity, meanwhile, continues to be a work in progress.

In the past, the BJP has succeeded against the combined might of the Samajwadi Party, the Bahujan Samajwadi Party and the Rashtriya Lok Dal — the sweeping win in the state in the 2019 Lok Sabha elections being an example.

While the BSP was able to increase the party's strength in the Lok Sabha from zero in 2014 to 10, the tally of the SP had remained stuck at five only. The RLD was unable to open its account, with both the father-son duo of Ajit Singh and Jayant Choudhary facing defeats.

The BJP leaders stated that the Congress was tactically kept outside the grand alliance in 2019 in the northern state to wean away the upper caste support base of the saffron outfit, which also hadn't worked.

> **We work with an aim to get past the 50 per cent vote share... That is despite the fact that a perfect Opposition unity is only a theoretical proposition. It has been demonstrated that the meeting of the hearts of the top leaders doesn't find resonance on the ground**
>
> A BJP functionary

"The social constituents of the BSP, the SP and the RLD are known to be in conflicts, for economic and other reasons. The smaller OBCs and EBCs have shown in the past to have reservations against the dominance of one caste, which provides cushion to the BJP to work on its social engineering more effectively," said another BJP functionary.

While the BJP works out strategy for 50 per cent vote share, the party leaders noted that the situations on the ground may be different in the elections, including the party's task first to beat the anti-incumbency factor against the Yogi Adityanath government.

Pawar demands law to remove quota cap, slams RS 'horror'

SUDHIR SURYAWANSHI @Mumbai

ASSERTING that the Constitution was bigger than any court judgment, Nationalist Congress Party chief Sharad Pawar on Monday asked the Centre to enact a law to remove the 50 per cent cap on reservations, as mandated by the Supreme Court.

He also slammed the use of force by marshals in the Rajya Sabha last week as an "attack" on democracy. Claiming to be an eyewitness to the "horror" inside the House, Pawar said, "The marshals were called from outside. They not only blocked the way of MPs who were going in the well but even manhandled the women parliamentarians. Shiv Sena MP Sanjay Raut was pushed and almost physically lifted by the marshals and blocked from all sides...This was nothing but a brutal attack on Parliament and its democratic procedure. I had never witnessed such scenes in my 55 years of political career."

"The well-built marshal used their muscle power to push the Oppositions MPs back... Usually, we have seen eight-ten marshal on any given day and time. But that day, 40 marshals were present. It shows the intention of the ruling party, how they want to run the House and the government," the former Union minister said. The fact that the government fielded seven-eight ministers later to justify its action showed it was on a 'weak wicket', he added.

> **Marshals were called from outside. They not only blocked the way of MPs but even manhandled women members. Shiv Sena MP Sanjay Raut was pushed and almost physically lifted** —Sharad Pawar, NCP chief

Accusing the Centre of 'deception' on the quota issue, Pawar said the passage of the constitution amendment bill restoring the right of the states/Union Territories to make their own OBC lists would be meaningless unless the Centre brought in a constitutional amendment bill removing the 50 per cent limit on reservation in jobs and education.

Political parties in Maharashtra are in a fix as the Supreme Court had struck down the Maratha quota introduced by the state government in 2018 for exceeding the 50 per cent limit.

Pawar also demanded that a caste-based Census be carried "to get the real picture" and do "justice to backward communities deprived of their legitimate right".

MAHA BRACES FOR RAINS

A low pressure area in the Bay of Bengal is likely to bring heavy rainfall in many parts of Maharashtra over the next three to four days, the India Meteorological Department said on Monday

10K CRIMINALS ARRESTED IN RAJASTHAN SINCE JUN

INDIA	Max	Min		Max	Min
Ahmedabad	37	27	Mumbai	31	28
Bhopal	29	23	Panaji	29	25
Jaipur	35	27	Patna	34	27
Amritsar	37	27	Lucknow	37	29
Chennai	33	28	Port Blair	30	27
Kolkata	29	28	Imphal	25	21
Srinagar	29	12	Chandigarh	38	28

Nagaland Assembly without opposition as NPF too joins ruling coalition

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@Guwahati

THE Nagaland Assembly is now without an Opposition as the ruling coalition, led by Nationalist Democratic Progressive Party (NDPP) on Monday inducted Naga People's Front (NPF) into the government to work collectively towards achieving a peaceful and amicable solution to the protracted "Naga political issue".

The NPF is the state's only opposition party that has elected members. The party had won 25 seats in the last elections, but suspended seven MLAs later for hobnobbing with the NDPP.

The 60-member House presently has a strength of 59 and all the 59 MLAs now belong to the ruling coalition. Apart from NDPP and NPF, the other constituents are the BJP and two Independents. One seat is lying vacant as an MLA passed away.

Following the NPF's induction, the previous People's Democratic Alliance (PDA) government was renamed as the Nagaland United Government.

The NDPP, BJP and NPF, which met on Monday, endorsed the concept of a "united government" to facilitate the Naga political issue and achieve an honorable and acceptable solution.

"The decision to accept the Opposition-less united government has been taken unanimously by the primary PDA partners, namely NDPP and BJP including 2 (two) Independent MLAs supporting the PDA government…Henceforth, the government shall be called Nagaland United Government," a statement, issued jointly by NDPP, BJP and NPF, stated. The Core Committee of the Parliamentary Committee on Naga political issue had earlier resolved and affirmed the joint united approach in achieving solution to the Naga political issue. The NPF legislature party had also endorsed the concept of Opposition-less government.

All the ruling parties resolved that they would aim at promoting the Naga peace talks with a positive approach and move forward under a positive environment. "The political parties shall appeal to all Naga Political Groups to make serious efforts towards unity and reconciliation."

Another jolt for Cong as senior leader joins TMC

Sushmita Dev was upset with seat-sharing deal with AIUDF ahead of recent elections

PRANAB MONDAL @ Kolkata

Former All India Mahila Congress chief Sushmita Dev, a close aide of former party chief Rahul Gandhi, joined the Trinamool Congress on Monday, hours after quitting the grand old party.

Dev, a former MP from Assam and the daughter of renowned Congress leader Santosh Mohan Dev, was unhappy with the party's alliance and seat-sharing deal with ally Badruddin Ajmal's All India United Democratic Front (AIDUF) in the recently-held Assam Assembly elections and not being consulted for key decisions in her home state.

Sushmita Dev

On Monday, she joined the TMC in Kolkata in presence of Abhishek Banerjee. Sources said that she could be the party's face when the TMC is looking to make inroads in Tripura and Dev's father was an MP from Tripura.

In a letter to Congress chief Sonia Gandhi on Sunday, Dev thanked her for the guidance she received from Sonia during her three-decade-long association with the party.

She is the latest in a growing list of Rahul's close aides who have left the party for greener pastures. Recently, Jitin Prasada, former union minister and party in-charge of West Bengal, joined the BJP. The party drew a blank both in West Bengal and Assam in the recent Assembly elections.

A senior Congress leader said she was in talks for a bigger role in Tripura and Assam. She had met Sonia Gandhi and Rahul on Saturday afternoon with a delegation from Assam and none knew that she would quit the very next day.

NO LONGER IN THE GRAND OLD PARTY

- **2021 Sushmita Dev,** Mahila Congress chief; joined the AITC
- **2021 Jitin Prasada,** in-charge for West Bengal; joined the BJP
- **2021 Abhijit Mukherjee,** former MP & son of Pranab Mukherjee; joined the AITC
- **2020 Jyotiraditya Scindia,** AICC in-charge for west Uttar Pradesh; joined the BJP
- **2020 PC Chacko,** AICC incharge for Delhi; joined the NCP
- **2020 Khushbu Sundar,** national spokesperson; joined the BJP
- **2019 Pradyot Manikya,** in-charge for Tripura; floated own outfit
- **2019 Ashok Tanwar,** Haryana Congress chief; floated his own political party
- **2019 Ajoy Kumar,** Jhrakhand Congress chief; joined AAP, but returned to Congress in 2020
- **2019 Priyanka Chaturvedi,** ntnl spokesperson; joined Shiv Sena

Judicial probe ordered into rebel's killing

PRASANTA MAZUMDAR
@ Guwahati

THE Meghalaya government on Monday ordered a judicial probe into the killing of former insurgent leader Cheristerfield Thangkhiew, which sparked protests in the state capital on Sunday.

The decision was taken at a meeting of the state cabinet.

An official statement said the Cabinet decided to constitute a judicial inquiry to look into the events that took place in the morning hours of August 13 when Thangkhiew, the former general secretary of insurgent group Hynniewtrep National Liberation Council, was killed at his residence by a joint team of police from two districts of the state.

The government decided to set up a peace committee, to be headed by Deputy CM Prestone Tynsong. Ministers Hamlet Dohling and Renikton Lyngdoh Tongkhar will be its members. The committee will co-opt other members from the civil society, including religious organisations and other stakeholders.

Unidentified protesters travel around in a police vehicle brandishing arms in in Meghalaya capital

Situation in the capital under control: Official

No untoward incident was reported from anywhere of the state capital Shillong till the evening on Monday. "The situation in the state capital remained peaceful today. It is under control," a senior home department official told PTI. The Meghalaya Human Rights Commission had on Sunday directed Chief Secretary MS Rao to furnish a detailed report on insurgent leader Thangkhiew's death within 15 days

The government has also decided to constitute a sub-committee for security and law and order, which will be headed by Chief Minister Conrad K Sangma, Deputy CM Prestone Tynsong and the state's home minister. It will look into different aspects of the law and order situation in the state.

State's Home Minister Lahkmen Rymbui had tendered his resignation to the CM. However, it is yet to be accepted.

Meanwhile, CM Sangma appealed to protesters to return the police weapons they got from a police vehicle that they took over. The CM was angry that the police left behind weapons in the vehicle.

Four police personnel have been suspended in connection with the incident. Curfew, clamped in Shillong on Sunday evening, continued while mobile internet/data services remained suspended in four districts, including East Khasi Hills of which Shillong is the headquarters.

BJP leader and former minister AL Hek demanded the resignation of the state's police chief R Chandranathan.

SIDHU VS CM

Appointment of general secy latest friction point in Cong

HARPREET BAJWA @ Chandigarh

DAYS after Punjab Chief Minister Amarinder Singh complained to Sonia Gandhi on state Congress unit president Navjot Singh Sidhu's continuing criticism of the government, Sidhu on Monday appointed a known Amarinder baiter, Pargat Singh, as party's general secretary (organisation).

The elevation of Jalandhar Cantonment MLA Pargat Singh, the former captain of the Indian Hockey team, had the blessings of the high command.

Pargat's appointment is set to further strain the already fraught relations between Sidhu and Singh, with observers saying this could give the opposition parties pushed to the periphery a toehold. A few days ago, Sidhu had appointed four advisers as a precursor to the selection of district unit presidents, office-bearers and district level coordinators. Singh had sought a say in these matters prior to Sidhu's appointment, but to no avail.

The elevation of Pargat coincided with the resignation of Punjab Water Resources Management and Development Corporation chairman Jagbir Brar from Congress. He re-joined the Shiromani Akali Dal on Monday. Brar and Pargat were rivals; the latter had joined Congress on the condition that he would get the Jalandhar Cantonment ticket at the expense of Brar.

Party insiders claimed the fight between rival power centres in Singh and Sidhu may worsen. "Sidhu's elevation has weakened the authority of Singh and Sidhu is yet to establish his grip. A weak Amarinder is not in interest of the party. The high command has not read the situation correctly," a senior leader said.

Sidhu has already declared that he would introduce a resolution in the state Assembly to make the STF report on drugs public to give a push to the party's 18-point agenda.

ONE-CHILD NORM

Population policy's final draft presented to CM Yogi

NAMITA BAJPAI @ Lucknow

THE Uttar Pradesh Law Commission on Monday presented the proposed Population Control Bill draft to Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath. The state government is expected to introduce the bill in the monsoon session of state legislature starting on Tuesday.

Sources said the commission, in the final draft bill, has recommended persons with more than two children be barred from contesting local elections and stresses the enforcement of one-child policy. According to Law Commission chairman Justice A N Mittal, the draft was handed over to the state government after incorporating all relevant suggestions given by the people on population control in the state.

Amid all the hue and cry over the UP Law Commission's proposed Population Control Bill draft, it received overwhelming support from the people and only 0.47% of the 8,500 suggestions received by the Commission opposed the bill. The remaining suggestions were either for modification, clarification or addition. A majority of the suggestions were on barring those violating the Population Control Act from contesting even the Assembly and General elections, in addition to the Commission's recommendation on debarring such violators from contesting local polls.

The commission proposed to debar those with more than two children from availing of the benefits of welfare schemes like state's health programmes.

EVEN A TORTOISE COULD DO BETTER

Tribunal	Head	Judicial Member	Technical Member
Debt Recovery Tribunals	15	0	0
National Company Law Tribunal	1	19	14
National Consumer Dispute Redressal Commission	0	0	3
Armed forces Tribunal	0	13	10
National Green Tribunal	0	14	16
Railway Claims Tribunal	0	20	5
Central Excise & Tax Appellate Tribunal	0	0	16
Income Tax Appellate Tribunal	0	25	27
Central Administrative Tribunal	0	18	14
Debt Recovery Appellate Tribunal	1	0	0
Securities Appellate Tribunal	0	0	1
Appellate Tribunal for Forfeited property	1	0	1
Telecom Disputes and Settlement Appellate Tribunal	0	0	2
National Company Law Appellate Tribunal	1	1	1
Appellate Tribunal for electricity	0	0	1
Central Excise Service Tax Appellate Tribunal	0	0	16
TOTAL VACANCIES	19	110	111

'UNDER PROCESS' PHRASE MEANINGLESS

"For more than a year, whenever our registry asked for the status (from government), it was told that the appointments are under process. This 'under process' has no meaning," the bench said. It made the observation while dealing with the delay in filling up vacancies in Debt Recovery Tribunals. Mehta said appointments were being taken up seriously with the highest authorities

Centre gets 10 days to fill tribunal vacancies

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
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PULLING up the Centre for steamrolling the Tribunals Reforms Bill, 2021, with provisions similar to those it had recently struck down in a separate judgment, the Supreme Court on Monday told the government to fill up the vacancies in various tribunals within 10 days.

Quoting media reports, Chief Justice of India N V Ramana said finance minister Nirmala Sitharaman had told the House that the court had not struck down the provisions on ground of unconstitutionality. "What should we make of this bill? Should tribunals function or should be closed?" the CJI said, while asking Solicitor general Tushar Mehta whether the government could show the note prepared by it before introducing the bill.

The solicitor general assured the court that the process of appointments was on and sought two week's time to give a full status report. However, turning down his request, the court directed the government to fill up the vacancies in 10 days and adjourned the matter for 10 days. The provisions of the bill are similar to those of the Tribunals Reforms (Rationalisation and Conditions of Service) Ordinance, 2021, struck down in July last.

Didi isn't for non-Cong oppn alliance, claims party organ

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Kolkata

VOWING to change the "colour of the Central government" in 2024, an editorial published in Trinamool Congress's mouthpiece made it clear that the party was not espousing the idea of a non-Congress alliance and asserted that West Bengal chief minister Mamata Banerjee would be one of the key architects of the change of guard in Delhi.

In its mouthpiece Jago Bangla, the party sent reminders on the singular role Mamata played in defeating the BJP in Bengal Assembly elections, saying the TMC leadership should be treated with the respect their stature deserves.

The editorial is being viewed as an attempt to bring to end the speculation over Mamata's view on stake-holders of the alliance. Insiders in the TMC said, "The party made it clear that the Bengal CM will be one of the key players in the alliance and if the attempts to derail the BJP from the Centre by organising an anti-BJP alliance proves successful, she will play a major role in the national politics thereafter.

"On the 75th Independence Day, we should vow to change the colour of the government in New Delhi in 2024, and indeed Mamata would be a prime architects behind it."

FILM POLICY

Full script approval must for shooting in J&K

FAYAZ WANI @ Srinagar

HENCEFORTH, production houses looking to shoot movies in J&K must first get the script of the film approved by the Jammu and Kashmir Small Scale Industries Development Corporation Limited. Then only can they apply to get a permit to start filming.

The new rules are part of the Union Territory's film policy, which was unveiled on August 5. As per the policy, approval of script and filming permits are mandatory for shooting movies/shows in J&K. "All the production houses must submit full scripts in English to Jammu and Kashmir SICOP. The entire script should be submitted even if only a single sequence is shot in J&K," read the guidelines of J&K film policy.

According to officials, approval of the script may take up to 25 business days. Producers were assured that their scripts would be kept confidentiality.

The script submitted by the filmmakers would be evaluated by an expert from a panel constituted by J&K Film Cell.

"In some cases, filmmakers may need to show the completed film to a representative of J&K Film Cell before its release with a view to ensure that the film has been shot in accordance with the evaluated script and that it has nothing objectionable from the point of view of the presentation of a correct and balanced perspective," read the guidelines.

IIT-Roorkee professors among 50 women achievers

Four faculty members from the Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Roorkee have been featured in the compendium by the Confederation of Indian Industry — CII on 50 women achievers from India in STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics). The CII on August 8 launched an ebook, titled 'WiSTEM-2021: Nurture and Celebrate Women in STEM'. The IIT Roorkee professors who are part of the compendium include Professor Davinder Kaur Walia, senior faculty in the Department of Physics.

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DEHRADUN DIARY

BJP to allot tickets based on confidential survey

The Uttarakhand unit of the Bhartiya Janta Party has hired a private agency to conduct a 'confidential survey' to prepare a report on the ground reality in all 70 state Assembly constituencies. A senior party leader said the results of this survey will also help determine ticket distribution for the upcoming state Assembly elections in March 2022. "The first phase of the survey is already going on. The second phase will start on September 15 and the third phase will kick off on October 25. This will help the party get a ground report from all the 70 Assembly constituencies and decided ticket distribution accordingly," said a senior party leader. Each phase of the survey will take 40 days to finish.

9 lakh vaccine doses administered in 10 days

In a span of 10 days from August 4 to 13 the state government has administered more than nine lakh vaccine doses. Experts have hailed the feat. Anoop Nautiyal, whose Social Development for Communities Foundation has been collating and analysing data since March 2020 when the first-ever case in the state surface said, "The pace of vaccination has picked up which gives hope that all adults will be vaccinated by December. However, availability of vaccine is imperative." In the duration total of 9,44,518 doses were administered with an average of 94,452 doses per day.

Uttarakhand to probe fleecing amid Covid

Uttarakhand health department has initiated an inquiry into complaints that private hospitals charged exorbitant costs for Covid treatments during the second wave of the pandemic. Dr Manoj Upreti, the chief medical officer, Dehradun said, "The inquiry is on and money has been refunded to many families. We are working on many more such cases. No one is above law and action will be taken against those who tend to violate it." Till date, `1.36 crore has been paid back to 290 families by 15 private hospitals

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PUBLIC NOTICE

[Pursuant to sub-section (2) and sub-section (4) of section 248 of the Companies Act, 2013 and rule 7 of the Companies (Removal of Names of Companies from the Register of Companies) Rules, 2016]

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Reference:

In the matter of striking off or removal of names of companies under section 248 (2) of the Companies Act, 2013 in respect of :

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1	26GRAMM SUPER INNOVATIONS PRIVATE LIMITED	U72900KA2019PTC130843
2	AAENZO PAPERS PRIVATE LIMITED	U74999KA2017PTC103761
3	AAGLECHA TOURS AND TRAVELS PRIVATE LIMITED	U74999KA2016PTC098891
4	ACS EVENT MANAGEMENT SERVICES PRIVATE LIMITED	U74900KA2013PTC068946
5	ACS GOLF LIVING PRIVATE LIMITED	U45204KA2012PTC067362
6	ACS INTEGRATED INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS PRIVATE LIMITED	U45205KA2012PTC067369
7	ADHAATAA PRODUCTIONS PRIVATE LIMITED	U93000KA2018PTC114083
8	AGILE8 ENERGY SAVINGS INDIA PRIVATE LIMITED	U74900KA2015PTC084799
9	AIKYA MINERALS PRIVATE LIMITED	U14297KA2018PTC117433
10	AJGIL IMPEX SOLUTIONS PRIVATE LIMITED	U51909KA2018PTC111060
11	AKANSH CONSULTING PRIVATE LIMITED	U72900KA2019PTC123400
12	ANANDITHA EVENT MANAGEMENT PRIVATE LIMITED	U93090KA2018PTC116395
13	ANARGHYA GREEN EARTH PRIVATE LIMITED	U37200KA2012PTC066192
14	ANTITY PRIVATE LIMITED	U72900KA2019PTC127933
15	APOMED SERVICES PRIVATE LIMITED	U85320KA2019PTC124796
16	APPATHON TECHNOLOGIES PRIVATE LIMITED	U72200KA2016PTC086408
17	APPSHASTRA TECHNOLOGIES PRIVATE LIMITED	U72900KA2016PTC098444
18	APT LIFE SCIENCES INDIA PRIVATE LIMITED	U72200KA2013PTC068955
19	AQUANAUT SPORTS AND ADVENTURES PRIVATE LIMITED	U92490KA2018PTC113766
20	ARMATIC DEVICES PRIVATE LIMITED	U31909KA1983PTC005212
21	ARTSMELANGE ONLINE SOLUTIONS (OPC) PRIVATE LIMITED	U52100KA2015OPC082573
22	ASHRAY TEXTILES PRIVATE LIMITED	U17122KA2005PTC037436
23	ASPIRANT ENERGY RESOURCE OPTIONS PRIVATE LIMITED	U74999KA2018PTC119725
24	ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGYDEVICES PRIVATE LIMITED	U29297KA2019PTC126555
25	A-STAR GLOBAL HEALTH SERVICES PRIVATE LIMITED	U85100KA2010PTC056323
26	ATI BUSINESS SOLUTIONS PRIVATE LIMITED	U51900KA2019PTC128022
27	ATOMATOR MANUFACTURING PRIVATE LIMITED	U27205KA2019PTC125175
28	AURATES TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS PRIVATE LIMITED	U72900KA2017PTC102339
29	AUTONOMIX TECHNOLOGIES PRIVATE LIMITED	U72900KA2016PTC095186
30	AVINASH AND SREEVATHSA ENTERPRISES PRIVATE LIMITED	U72900KA2020PTC134295
31	B4G SOLUTIONS PRIVATE LIMITED	U74900KA2016PTC085660
32	BABY THEORY PRIVATE LIMITED	U72200KA2014PTC075645
33	BASS POLLUTION CONTROAL SYSTEMS LIMITED	U85110KA1990PLC011297
34	BATTERMAN FOOD PRIVATE LIMITED	U15549KA2019PTC128802
35	BELAKUSTUDIOS PRODUCTIONS (OPC) PRIVATE LIMITED	U74999KA2018OPC117011
36	BENGAL ELECTRICALS CO PRIVATE LIMITED	U31506KA1976PTC002972
37	BENSUS TRAVEL AND HOSPITALITY PRIVATE LIMITED	U63040KA2007PTC044065
38	BHARAT VIKAS FUND PRIVATE LIMITED	U74999KA2006PTC038700
39	BHATTAGUTTIGE PRAKASHANA PRIVATE LIMITED	U02212KA1988PTC009386
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42	BIZLEEINTECH PRIVATE LIMITED	U72900KA2016PTC094430
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46	BOULEVARD DEVELOPERS PRIVATE LIMITED	U45200KA2007PTC042060
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51	CARBOTECH MANUFACTURING INDIA PRIVATE LIMITED	U74999KA2017PTC106608
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67	COSMO BIO SPIRITS TRADING PRIVATE LIMITED	U51909KA2017PTC107520
68	CRUNK DIGITAL CONSULTING PRIVATE LIMITED	U72900KA2017PTC106598
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70	DANGE GREEN ENERGY PRIVATE LIMITED	U40100KA2017PTC099642
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94	FLAIREDGE SKILLS AND IT VENTURES PRIVATE LIMITED	U72900KA2019PTC125647
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232	PRIMO-EDU ACADEMY AND SOLUTIONS PRIVATE LIMITED	U80902KA2018PTC119144
233	PROMAXXAR IT SERVICES PRIVATE LIMITED	U72900KA2018PTC118479
234	PROSPER FINANCE & CONSULTING PRIVATE LIMITED	U65990KA2020PTC134326
235	PROVIFI FOODS & GRAINS PRIVATE LIMITED	U52397KA2018PTC115493
236	PUREPICK FAMILY PRODUCTS PRIVATE LIMITED	U52609KA2019PTC122794
237	R2K SOFTWARE INDIA PRIVATE LIMITED	U72200KA2002PTC030942
238	RACHNAPRIT EXIM PRIVATE LIMITED	U74999KA2018PTC113993
239	RAJENDRA REELS PRIVATE LIMITED	U74999KA2017PTC099068
240	RANKSTUDENT SOFT SOLUTIONS PRIVATE LIMITED	U72200KA2012PTC067103
241	RAO FLORA PRIVATE LIMITED	U01111KA1994PTC015936
242	RASHMI VARIER PRODUCTIONS PRIVATE LIMITED	U92100KA2010PTC054405
243	RAV TECH SERVICES PRIVATE LIMITED	U72200KA2007PTC041429
244	RED EARTH FINSERV PRIVATE LIMITED	U65191KA2015PTC079787
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248	RIDGE VALLEY DEVELOPERS PRIVATE LIMITED	U45201KA2009PTC051175
249	RIGHTMATRIX HEALTHCARE SERVICES PRIVATE LIMITED	U74999KA2019PTC120076
250	RIUTECH CONSULTANCY SERVICES PRIVATE LIMITED	U74999KA2018PTC112850
251	RIVERFLOW SOLUTIONS PRIVATE LIMITED	U72200KA2012PTC064497
252	RIYA KODALI ENGINEERING PRIVATE LIMITED (OPC)	U45400KA2014OPC076387
253	ROWAN TREE SPORT ENTERTAINMENT PRIVATE LIMITED	U92413KA2009PTC050823
254	RUBICON CAPITAL MANAGEMENT PRIVATE LIMITED	U67100KA2015PTC083520
255	SACHI MEDIA PRIVATE LIMITED	U22219KA2019PTC123388
256	SAHI SPORTSECO PRIVATE LIMITED	U72200KA2018PTC115629
257	SAKURA PRODUCTIONS PRIVATE LIMITED	U15100KA2016PTC096983
258	SALES SCHOOL JOBS.COM PRIVATE LIMITED	U74999KA2016PTC092860
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263	SCSL AGRO INDUSTRIES PRIVATE LIMITED	U15490KA2019PTC125730
264	SEA PEARL ACADEMY PRIVATE LIMITED	U80902KA2019PTC123093
265	SEARCH (INDIA)PRIVATE LIMITED	U24299KA1994PTC016548
266	SEARCHHEADS HR SOLUTION PRIVATE LIMITED	U74910KA2015PTC084747
267	SEVEN HORSE INDUSTRIES PRIVATE LIMITED	U21000KA2019PTC125714
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269	SHAAHEE FOODS PRIVATE LIMITED	U15499KA2017PTC102860
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272	SHAKTI HEALING AND SAFETY CENTER PRIVATE LIMITED	U85310KA2019PTC123465
273	SHANYA TECHNOLOGIES PRIVATE LIMITED	U74999KA2016PTC098363
274	SHARABH HR SERVICES PRIVATE LIMITED	U74999KA2018PTC116302
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276	SHERO GLOBAL RETAILS PRIVATE LIMITED	U74999KA2019PTC127176
277	SHIVASANLAKPA CHITS PRIVATE LIMITED	U65992KA2021PTC143818
278	SHREE SUPRA SOFTWARE SOLUTIONS PRIVATE LIMITED	U72200KA2012PTC063106
279	SHRITA TECHNOLOGIES PRIVATE LIMITED	U72900KA2016PTC095146
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284	SKEF AND GPE PRIVATE LIMITED	U29100KA2019PTC125169
285	SKYFY MEDIA AND EDUCATION PRIVATE LIMITED	U80902KA2017PTC107524
286	SLATESHARE TECHNOLOGIES PRIVATE LIMITED	U80904KA2019PTC127143
287	SMART SPIRULINA AND AYURVEDA PRIVATE LIMITED	U74999KA2016PTC097222
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291	SOUTHEASE CULINARY VENTURES PRIVATE LIMITED	U55101KA2018PTC118842
292	SPARK INTELLIGENCE LABS PRIVATE LIMITED	U72900KA2017PTC105311
293	SPATERIO DECOR AND FURNISHING PRIVATE LIMITED	U74999KA2017PTC104257
294	SPECADEL SOFTWARE INDIA PRIVATE LIMITED	U72200KA2012FTC065607
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297	SPINELEX INDIA PRIVATE LIMITED	U80904KA2018PTC109974
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299	SRGC MARKETING CONSULTANTS PRIVATE LIMITED	U70109KA2016PTC098624
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301	SRI SAIGUHA CONSULTING PRIVATE LIMITED	U72900KA2019PTC120146
302	SRIYANSHU HOSPITALITY PRIVATE LIMITED	U55209KA2019PTC126827
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314	SWUSHEE SAFETY EQUIPMENT PRIVATE LIMITED	U74999KA2018PTC116443
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316	TACHYON LOGISTICS PRIVATE LIMITED	U74999KA2017PTC099495
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330	TREOGRAPHY TECHNOLOGIES PRIVATE LIMITED	U74999KA2017PTC099607
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333	TYNET EDUCATIONS INDIA PRIVATE LIMITED	U80100KA2016PTC098659
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342	VELLORE INFRA TECH. SOLUTIONS PRIVATE LIMITED	U45200KA2013PTC070001
343	VIDYA VIJETHA TUTORIALS (OPC) PRIVATE LIMITED	U80902KA2019OPC124759
344	VIGILANTE ENVIRONMENTAL SOLUTIONS PRIVATE LIMITED	U31401KA2014PTC075519
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346	VITHOBA INFRASOLUTIONS PRIVATE LIMITED	U72200KA2014PTC073956
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348	VOICEMINDS COMMUNICATIONS PRIVATE LIMITED	U74900KA2016PTC092624
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350	WASTEMAYA INNOVATIONS PRIVATE LIMITED	U93090KA2019PTC127750
351	WAVESOC INFOTECH (OPC) PRIVATE LIMITED	U74999KA2018OPC115163
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353	WHITE PEACOCK BADMINTON FOR ALL PRIVATE LIMITED	U92410KA2016PTC093759
354	WINAZO TECHNOLOGIES PRIVATE LIMITED	U74999KA2019PTC123874
355	WINCERON SOFTWARE TECHNOLOGIES PRIVATE LIMITED	U72900KA2008PTC048659
356	WINSOME IDEAS PRIVATE LIMITED	U74999KA2017PTC100844
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361	ZEB OUTSOURCING PRIVATE LIMITED	U72900KA2002PTC031307
362	ZEROSTACK TECHNOLOGIES INDIA PRIVATE LIMITED	U72200KA2015FTC082519

Notice is hereby given that the Registrar of Companies had received applications from the above mentioned companies under section 248(2) of the Companies Act, 2013 for removal of its/their name (s) from the register of companies either on the ground that they have failed to commence business within one year of their incorporation or on the ground that the company (ies) is/are not carrying on any business or operation for a period of two immediately preceding financial years and has/have not made any application (s) within such period for obtaining the status of a dormant company under section 455 of the Companies Act, 2013 or the company (ies) have obtained the status of dormant company, but it/they do not wish to continue its/ their registration as companies and have, therefore, requested for removal/strike off of its/their names from the register of companies.

2) Accordingly, the Registrar of Companies proposes to remove or strike off the names of the above mentioned companies from the Register of Companies.

3) Any person objecting to the proposed removal or striking off of name of the companies from the register of companies may send his or her objection to the office address mentioned here above within thirty days from the date of publication of this notice.

Sd/-
C.V. SAJEEVAN
Registrar of Companies, Karnataka

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Rescuers recover more bodies from the site of flooding in a town in Turkey, taking the death toll to 70

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Dhaka	29	26	TDS	Moscow	31	19	LC
Dubai	42	32	SNY	New York	27	13	LC
Houston	33	26	TDS	Singapore	30	25	TDS
Istanbul	31	21	SNY	Toronto	25	21	LR
London	20	15	LC	Washington	30	24	TDS

Collapse of Kabul without any resistance to Taliban will go down as one of the greatest defeats in American history, says Donald Trump

US military to send another battalion of about 1,000 troops to help safeguard the Kabul airport amid chaotic evacuation

Foreign ministers of European Union to convene emergency talks today to discuss the crisis situation in Afghanistan

TALIBAN BLITZKRIEG SURPRISES TEAM BIDEN

WASHINGTON

PRESIDENT Joe Biden and other top US officials have been stunned by the pace of the Taliban's nearly complete takeover of Afghanistan, as the planned withdrawal of American forces urgently became a mission to ensure a safe evacuation.

The speed of the Afghan government's collapse and the ensuing chaos posed the most serious test of Biden as commander in chief, and he was the subject of withering criticism from Republicans who said that he had failed.

Biden campaigned as a seasoned expert in international relations and has spent months downplaying the prospect of an ascendant Taliban while arguing that Americans of all political persuasions have tired of a 20-year war, a conflict that demonstrated the limits of money and military might to force a Western-style democracy on a society not ready or willing to embrace it.

By Sunday, though, leading figures in the administration acknowledged they were caught off guard with the utter speed of the collapse of Afghan security forces. The challenge of that effort became clear after reports of sporadic gunfire at the Kabul airport prompted Americans to shelter as they awaited flights to safety after the US Embassy was completely evacuated.

National security adviser Jake Sullivan said on Monday that Afghanistan fell faster than the administration expected, and blamed the government's fall on the Afghans themselves.

"It is certainly the case that the speed with which cities fell was much greater than anyone anticipated," Sullivan said on Monday. But he said the US ultimately could not give Afghan security forces the "will" to fight to defend their fledgling democracy from the Taliban.

Biden will address the nation on Monday about the US evacuation from Afghanistan. *AP*

Prez Ghani fled Kabul in helicopter stuffed with cash: Russian media

MOSCOW/KABUL

AFGHANISTAN President Ashraf Ghani allegedly fled the war-torn country aboard a helicopter stuffed with money but had to leave some cash on the airfield as it could not be squeezed into the chopper, according to Russian official media reported on Monday.

Quoting Russian embassy in Kabul, Russian official news agency TASS reported that the 72-year-old president fled Afghanistan aboard a helicopter packed with money.

Heavily armed Taliban insurgents swept Kabul on Sunday after a sudden and unprecedented collapse of the US-backed Ghani government, prompting the president to join fellow citizens and foreigners to leave the country.

"As for the reasons for the collapse of the regime, they are characterised by how Ghani fled the country. Four cars were packed with money, and they tried to cram another bag of cash into the helicopter. Not all the cash managed to squeeze in, and some of the money was left lying on the airfield," a mission employee was quoted as saying by the report.

Though TASS did not name the mission employee, quoting Russian diplomatic mission spokesperson Nikita Ishenko, Russian wire service Sputnik reported that Ghani was escorted with cars filled with cash as he was fleeing Kabul.

"They tried to put part of the money into a helicopter, but everything did not fit. And some of the money was left on the runway," Ishenko said. Media reports suggested that Ghani may have fled to the neighbouring Tajikistan or Uzbekistan, but there was no official confirmation of his whereabouts.

But in his first comments after he left Afghanistan, Ghani in a Facebook post on Sunday said he was faced with a "hard choice" between the "armed Taliban" who wanted to enter the Presidential Palace or "leaving the dear country that I dedicated my life to protecting the past 20 years".

"If there were still countless countrymen martyred and they would face the destruction and destruction of Kabul city, the result would have been a big human disaster in this six million city. The Taliban have made it to remove me, they are here to attack all Kabul and the people of Kabul. In order to avoid the bleeding flood, I thought it was best to get out," Ghani said.

"Taliban have won the judgement of sword and guns and now they are responsible for protecting the countrymen's honour, wealth and self-esteem. Didn't they win the legitimacy of hearts? Never in history has dry power given legitimacy to anyone and won't give it to them," Ghani said. *PTI*

HAPLESS LOT

Stranded Afghan nationals arrive on the Pakistan-Afghanistan border crossing point in Chaman to enter their home country on Monday | AFP

World must not abandon Afghans, says UN chief

KABUL

THE United Nations chief is calling for an immediate end to violence in Afghanistan and urging the international community to unite to ensure that the human rights of all people, especially women and girls, are respected.

Secretary-General **Antonio Guterres** appealed to the UN Security Council at an emergency meeting on Monday "and the international community as a whole to stand together, work together and act together."

He said he is "particularly concerned by accounts of mounting human rights violations against the women and girls of Afghanistan who fear a return to the darkest days" in the 1990s when the Taliban ruled and barred girls for getting an education and imposed draconian measures on women.

Guterres said "the world is following events in Afghanistan with a heavy heart and deep disquiet about what lies ahead" and with the country's future and the hopes and dreams of a generation of young Afghans in the balance, the coming days "will be pivotal."

At this "grave hour," the secretary-general urged all parties, especially the Taliban, "to exercise utmost restraint to protect lives and to ensure that humanitarian needs can be met." *AP*

Airlines avoid troubled airspace

PARIS: Airlines are avoiding flights over Afghanistan as the local aviation authority on Monday urged them to reroute after it gave Kabul airspace to the military. British Airways, Lufthansa, Singapore Airlines, Air France and Virgin Atlantic announced they were no longer flying over the country after the Taliban took over Kabul. The Afghanistan Civil Aviation Authority said in a "notice to airmen" that "Kabul airspace has been released to the military". It advised airlines to reroute as "any transit through Kabul airspace will be uncontrolled". AFP

Takeover is world's failure: UK

LONDON: The Taliban's takeover of Afghanistan is a "failure of the international community", Britain's Defence Secretary Ben Wallace said on Monday, assessing that the West's intervention was a job only half-done. "All of us know that Afghanistan is not finished. It's an unfinished problem for the world and the world needs to help it," he told BBC television. The former British Army officer last week said US President Joe Biden's predecessor Donald Trump had secured a "rotten deal" with the Islamist militants that allowed their return. AFP

Kabul situation stabilising: Russia

MOSCOW: The Russian foreign ministry said on Monday the situation in Kabul "is stabilising" after the Afghan capital fell to the Taliban this weekend and claimed that the militants have started to "restore public order". Russia, whose ambassador is due to meet with the Taliban on Tuesday, claimed the militants had vowed to "guarantee the safety of local people". In the statement, Moscow confirmed it had "established working contacts with representatives of the new authorities". AFP

CHINA HOPES TALIBAN GOVT WILL BE 'OPEN AND INCLUSIVE'

BEIJING

CHINA on Monday expressed hope that the Taliban will stand by its commitment of establishing an 'open and inclusive' Islamic government in Afghanistan and will ensure a peaceful transition of power without violence and terrorism.

Commenting for the first time on the sudden and rapid takeover of the Afghanistan government by the Taliban insurgents, Chinese Foreign Ministry spokesperson Hua Chunying in a media briefing here expressed hope that the Taliban will abide by its commitment, taking full responsibility for the safety of Afghan citizens and foreign diplomatic missions. While most of the embassies in Kabul including that of the US, India and EU countries rushed to evacuate its diplomatic staff, Hua said the Chinese Embassy is up and running with its ambassador and some staff.

However, most of the Chinese nationals have already been evacuated from Afghanistan, she said. *AP*

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PUBLIC NOTICE
CHANGE OF NAME

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I, **Nandhinee Sankara** Subramanian, passport number M7941004, daughter of Mr. Sankara Subramanian Seetharama Iyer of E101, NCC Meadows Phase 2, Doddaballapura Road, Yelahanka, Bengaluru, Karnataka,560064 and resident of Dessauer Strasse.23, 3.0 G, 10963, Berlin have changed my name from Nandhinee Sankara Subramanian (old name) to **NANDHINEE SANKARA GUMMA** (New name) vide affidavit dated : 09.06.2021 before Notary G.R. Ravi chandra Reddy, Bangalore

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **PREETHY JOHN,** aged about 34 years, D/o John Bosco Joseph, R/o #71, 1st Main, 8th Cross, Bhuvaneshwari Nagar, R.T. Nagar Post, Bengaluru-560032, Karnataka State, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **IMMACULATE PREETHY JOHN** to **PREETHY JOHN,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **PREETHY JOHN** only, vide affidavit dated 16-08-2021, sworn before Advocate and Notary **N. KANCHIVARADARAJU** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, (OLD NAME) MOHAMED ISMAIL TAJUDIN ABDUL GANI, S/o. Tajudin Abdul Gani, residing at No. 358, Ashoka Road, West Cross 22 Lashkar Mohalla, Mysuru City-570001, (Now Camp at Bangalore) have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) MOHAMED ISMAIL TAJUDIN ABDUL GANI** to **(NEW NAME) MOHAMED ISMAIL** vide affidavit dated 12/08/2021 sworn before Notary V. Srinivasa Reddy, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **C.P. NIVEDITHA,** W/o. Mahesh Kumar, aged about 32 years, R/at. House bearing No. 2518, 27th Cross, 17th Main, BSK II Stage, Bengaluru-560070, have changed my son's name from **KUMAR VAIBHAV .M** to **KUMAR KRUPANK BHUSHAN .M,** hereafter he will be known and called as **KUMAR KRUPANK BHUSHAN .M** only, vide affidavit dated 14.08.2021, sworn before Advocate & Notary **RAMESH .J SOLANKI**, Bangalore.

AFFIDAVIT
I, **LOURD MARY,** W/o Late Mr. John .S, aged about 75 years, R/a 12/11-1, 2nd Floor, Thimmaiah Garden, Next to Innovative Flora Apartments, Cox Town, Bangalore-560005, do hereby declare that both the names i.e., **LOURD MARY** and **LURDU MARY** are one and the same and belongs to me only, vide affidavit dated 16-08-2021, sworn before Advocate and Notary **N. NAGAPPA** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, P. RAMALAKSMI, Spouse of No 15328229A L/NK S.Hariharan Residing at # 295/1, Bharathi Nagar Street, Viswanathapuram (Vill & Post), Shengottai (Tk), Tirunelveli (Dist), Tamil Nadu (State), PIN:627810, have changed my name from **P. RAMALAKSMI** to **P.RAMALAKSHMI,** Vide Affidavit Dated 13.08.2021 sworn before Notary S.I.Balagaru, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **K.K. GANGAIAH,** S/o Kempanna, aged about 56 years, R/at No. 09, 6th Block, Chamarajpet, 1st Main Road, Nurse Quarters Royal Circle, Bengaluru-560018, have changed my name from **K.K. GANGAIAH** to **GANGADHAR,** vide affidavit dated 13.08.2021, sworn before Advocate & Notary **G. DAYANANDA,** Bangalore.

AFFIDAVIT
I, **P. NARASIMHA GUPTA,** S/o Late P.M. Padmanabha Setty, aged about 47 years, R/a No. 75, Narayana Pillai Street, Shivajinagar, Bangalore-560004, do hereby declare that do hereby declare that I have changed my daughter's name from **P.N. RITHIKA** to **P.N. RITHIKA GUPTA,** henceforth she shall be known and called as **P.N. RITHIKA GUPTA** only, vide affidavit dated 16-08-2021, sworn before Advocate and Notary **B. CHITRA** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, KALPALATHA, spouse of No. 14285524, Rank: Naik, Name: ANAND KUMAR GOPASETTY presently residing at #68, IPS Road, 10th Cross, Muneshwara Layout, Attur, Yelahanka New Town, Bangalore-560064, have changed my name from **KALPALATHA** to **VIRUPAMMA KALPALATA GOPASETTY** and my correct DOB is 01-08-1960 vide Affidavit dated 12-08-2021 sworn to before Notary Public G.P. CHAYA, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **VAIBHAVI.N W/o. Anoop Pai.** I am changing my name to **ARADHYA PAI** residing at No. 36, Vasantha Nilaya, 1st Floor, 2nd Cross, R.R. School Road, Sri Muneswara Swamy layout, Doddabommasandra, Vidyaranyapura Post, Bangalore - 560097. I shall hereafter be known and called as **ARADHYA PAI.** Vide Affidavit dated 16/08/2021 before Notary Lakshmaiah, Bangalore.

AFFIDAVIT
I, **BASAMMA,** D/o Sri Venkanagouda Devareddy, aged about 36 years, R/a No. 92, 4th Cross, Veerabhadranagara, 2nd Stage, Vibhuthipura, Marathhalli Post, Bengaluru-560037, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **BASAMMA** to **ANITHA,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **ANITHA** only for all official and future purposes, vide affidavit dated 13-08-2021, sworn before Advocate and Notary **VARIJA .C.J** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, SURYA, S/o Mr. Ravi Krishnaswamy R/o A2-202, Sri Prakrithi Apartment, Thindlu Main Road, Near More Market, Virupakshapura, Kodigehalli, Vidyaranyapura, Bengaluru-560097 have changed my name from **SURYA** to **SURYA RAVI** vide Affidavit dated 16-08-2021 sworn to before Notary Public G.P. CHAYA, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **Shivanthi Raja Chandra Sekaran** aged 57 years, S/o DTS Raja, R/at No.17, Sy No.341/1, Yashree Layout, Near Bagalur bus stop, Bagalur, Bengaluru - 562149 have changed my name from Shivanthi Raja Chandra Sekaran (old name) to **CHANDRA SEKAR SIVANTHI RAJA** (New name) vide affidavit dated : 16.08.2021 before Notary K.C. GOWTHAMI, Advocate, Bangalore - 560040

CHANGE OF DOB
I, PADMAJA.N, aged about 41 years, W/o. Rajagopal N.V.S., residing at No. F-2, "Krishna", Goodwill Apartment, Chandra Layout, Vijayanagar, Bangalore -560040, my Daughter **SMRITI** has studied in Brooklyn National Public School, Bangalore and in her 10th STD Marks Sheet her Date of Birth has been erroneously mentioned as **10/06/2005** & my Daughter's actual Date of Birth is **10/08/2005** vide affidavit dated 13/08/2021 sworn before Notary G.S.Susheela, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, SUNITHA K, M/o DRUPATH R/o 158,707 CHS, 4th Phase, Yelahanka New Town, Bangalore-560064, have changed my minor Son's name from **DRUPATH** to **DRUPATH KOTTYAN** vide Affidavit dated 11/08/2021 sworn to before VI Addl. Chief Metropolitan Magistrate, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SRIDEVI .K,** W/o Keshava Murthy V, aged about 48 years, R/a No. 51/1, Behind ST Anthony Church, Gottigere, Basavanapura, Bengaluru-560083, Karnataka, India, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **SHREEDEVI KESHAVAMURTHY** to **SRIDEVI K,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **SRIDEVI K** only, vide affidavit dated 16-08-2021, sworn before Advocate and Notary **H.S. DHARMA PRASAD** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, (OLD NAME) V.A.RAMA, W/o. K.Ramesh, residing at No. 87/3, 1st Main, 10th Cross, Govindaraj Nagar, Bangalore-560040, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) V.A.RAMA** to **(NEW NAME) K.R.RAMA** vide affidavit dated 16/08/2021 sworn before Notary N.Nagappa, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, V SABAPPA alias **SABAPPA V** S/o Sri. Venkatappa residing at #87, KHB A Sector, Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Nagar, Yelahanka New Town, Bangalore-560064, have changed my name from **V SABAPPA** alias **SABAPPA V** to **DJ SABA** vide Affidavit dated 16-08-2021 sworn to before Notary Public G.P. CHAYA, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **KESHAVA MURTHY V,** aged about 52 years, S/o Late Venkatachala Reddy, R/a No. 51/1, Behind ST Anthony Church, Gottigere, Basavanapura, Bengaluru-560083, Karnataka, India, do hereby declare that I have changed my son's name from **SUJAN** to **SRUJAN K. MURTHY,** henceforth he shall be known and called as **SRUJAN K. MURTHY** only, vide affidavit dated 16-08-2021, sworn before Advocate and Notary **H.S. DHARMA PRASAD** at Bangalore.

ANNOUNCEMENT
I, **JAYASHANKAR.K.G,** S/o Gangadharaiah.K.N, Residing at # 27, 2nd Main, 4th Cross, Near Srinivasa Kalyana Mantapa, Hongasandra, Bangalore-560068, state that my correct name is **JAYASHANKAR.K.G** but in my Bank Pass Book my name is wrongly mentioned as **JAISHANKAR.K.G,** both the names belong to one and the same person, In Future I would like to retain my name as **JAYASHANKAR.K.G,** vide affidavit Dated 02.08.2021 sworn Before Notary Dharani.P, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, IRSHAD BANU, Spouse of Zahir Abdul Gafoor, residing at #D5-86, Kendriya Vihar, Yelahanka, Bangalore-560064 have changed my name from **IRSHAD BANU** to **HYDER IRSHAD GAFOOR** vide Affidavit dated 16-08-2021 sworn to before Notary Public G.P. CHAYA, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **NAGARATHNA (New Name)** aged about 46 years, Daughter of RAJANNA, wife of RAVI KUMAR, Residing at NO.150, MUNIREDDY BUILDING, CHIKKANEKKUNDI LAYOUT, MADHURANAGAR 3RD STAGE, NEAR SHAKTHI EDUCATTION, MUTHUSANDRA, BENGALURU-560087, KARNATAKA, that I have changed my name from **NAGAMMA.T.R. (Old Name)** to **NAGARATHNA (New Name),** henceforth I shall be known and called as **NAGARATHNA (New Name)** only for all purpose, vide Affidavit dated : 10/08/2021 before Notary **M.NARENDRAN** at BENGALURU

CHANGE OF NAME
I, (OLD NAME) DARSHAN, residing at No. 1304, 13th Floor, Daliya Block C-Tower, Magadi Main Road, Bengaluru-560023, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) DARSHAN** to **(NEW NAME) DARSHAN JAIN** vide affidavit dated 16/08/2021 sworn before Notary G. Hemalatha, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, (OLD NAME) ALTAF AHMED ABDUL KHATIB, S/o. Abdul Mohammed Khatib, residing at No. 311/18, 10th Cross, 3rd 'C' Main, Road, 1st Block East, Jayanagar, Bangalore-560011, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) ALTAF AHMED ABDUL KHATIB** S/o. Abdul Mohammed Khatib to **(NEW NAME) ALTAF AHMED ABDUL KAREEM KHATIB** S/o Abdul Kareem Mohammed Haneef Khatib vide affidavit Dated 16/08/2021 sworn before Notary Mahesha.J.J., Bangalore.

PUBLIC NOTICE
Our client Mr.Praveen Bali is the present owner of the schedule property, he purchased the schedule property from one Mrs.Prativa Parida on 28.01.2000 vide document No.BNG(U)BNT/11203/1999-2000. Further the original mother title deed dated 04/04/1997, Vide document No.118/1997-98, registered at Bangalore North Taluk Sub Registrar executed by The Air Force Naval Housing Board infavour of Mrs.Prativa Parida has been lost, in view of that on-line police complaint was lodged as per the Lost Article Report (endorsement) dated 14/08/2021 issued by Karnataka State Police, Bengaluru.

Publics are hereby given notice that any persons having knowledge/holding of document please return to us within 07 days from the date of this publication, failing which any claim under the above sale deed is not valid or enforceable and the property is free from all encumbrances.

SCHEDULE

An undivided share of land measuring 47.27 sq. mtrs. in Sy. Nos.16/1, 16/2, 12/1, 18/3, 18/4, 18/5, 19/2, 19/3, 20/1, 20/2, 20/3, 20/4, 27/1, 27/2 and 28 and part of 26/1 and 26/3, situated at Kacharakanahalli Village, Bangalore North Taluk, and an apartment bearing # 79, First Floor, Jal Vayu Vihar, with a super built-up area of 90.92 sq. mtrs, with RCC roofing, inclusive of 5.05 sq. mtrs garage, having PID.NO.29-397-79 and bounded on-

East by : Flat No.80,
West by : Unrestricted common area,
North by : Unrestricted common area (Drive way)
South by : Unrestricted common area (Drive way)

Sathish .B
LAW MEN'S COMPANY
Advocates and Legal Consultants
14/3, II Floor, Sree Aravind Bhavan, Nrupathunga Road, Bengaluru-560 001.

PUBLIC NOTICE
My clients have negotiated to purchase and are doing due diligence before purchasing the schedule property hereto from its present Owners, Mrs.Lakshmamma, W/o.Mr.Lakkanna and Mr.Rajanna alias Y.G.Raju, S/o. Late.Gangaiah.

Hence, Any person/s, companies, Banks, Financial Institutions etc., asserting any right, title, interest or claim in the schedule property or any part thereof in any manner or having any claim/s against the schedule property or the documents thereof, or against the owner of the Schedule property by objecting to such sale in favor of my client should write to the undersigned within **SEVEN DAYS** of the issuance of this public notice with all documentary proof on which they are basing and asserting their rights with regards to the schedule property or any part thereof, after which period my client shall thereafter complete the sale transaction on the basis that there are no claims of whatsoever nature with regards to the schedule property.

SCHEDULE

All the piece and parcel of the immovable property presently bearing **Municipal No.30 (old No.13, even earlier being the eastern portion of the property bearing No.12), assigned with BBMP PID No.78-100-30, situated at BBMP Ward No.93-Vasanthanagar (old ward No.78), 1st Main, Vasantha Nagar (earlierly known as Rajamahal Doddaupparahalli), Bengaluru,** measuring east to west 27 ½ feet and north to south 26 feet, totally measuring 717.6 Square feet (672 Square feet as per katha, which is calculated as per the measurement as East by 24 feet, west by 23 feet, on the north 27 ½ feet and on the south 27 ½ feet) along with old house property totally measuring 1400 Square feet and bounded on the: **East by :** Road; **West by :** Private Property; **North by :** Private property; **South by :** Private Property;

(J.BHASKAR REDDY) Advocate
No.106, 'Savithri Nivas', Railway parallel road, Kumarapark West, Bangalore – 560 020.
Phone : 98801 01301
e-mail : jbhaskarreddy76@gmail.com

PUBLIC NOTICE
The General Public is hereby informed that my clients are intending to purchase the below mentioned schedule property from its owner **Mr. K. Nagesh S/o Late K. Subba Rao and Mrs. K. R. Sharada W/o Mr. K. Nagesh.**

If any person/s or financial institutions having any objection, claim, right, title, interest, dispute in respect of the schedule property may contact the undersigned with the documentary proof within **Ten (10) days** from the date of this publication, thereafter my client will proceed to complete the transaction without being liable for any claims put forth thereafter.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the 2 [two] Vacant residential converted **Sites No. 61 & 62** Khata No. 150/61 & 150/62 both measuring East to West 30.48 Sq Mtrs [100 Feet] and North to South 15.24 Sq Mtrs [50 feet] in all measuring 464.51 Sq Meters [5000 Sq feet] each situated at **Sy. No. 56/1, Yentaganahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk, Bengaluru Rural District** bounded on:
East By : Road, West By : Site No. 95 & 96
North By : Site No. 63, South By : Site No. 60

Vijayakumar S, Advocate
No. 49/38, 39th 'A' Cross,
11th Main, 4th T Block, Jayanagar,
Bengaluru 560041 Mob: 9900966009
Place : Bengaluru Date : 17-08-2021

BEFORE THE HONOURARLE SUB COURT, DEVIKULAM
E.P.No. 4/2019

Decree Holder : Kuruvila Abraham Thomas by power of attorney, Holder Sri.P.Kuruvila Jacob.
Judgment debtors : M/s Koral Shelters P Ltd and another
Full Name and Address of the Decree Holder / Plaintiff
Kuruvila Abraham Thomas S/o A.K. Abraham, Aronnil House, Ramamangalam Village, Eranakulam District, represented by his power of attorney holder Sri.P.Kuruvila Jacob S/o Jacob Kuruvila, Ottathekkel House, Nattakam Village, Kottayam Taluk, Kottayam District.
Full Name and Address of the Judement debtors / defendants:
1. **M/s Coral Shelters & Builders Pvt. Ltd,** represented by its M.D, Mr. Sunil K.Sreedhar, No.101, Seethai Vihar Apartments, 2nd main, 3rd Cross, Chamundeswari Layout, Vidhyaraneeyapuram, Bangalore-560097 (With Corporate Office at 34/383, PRA-135, Hermone, Padivattom, Edappally P.O, Kochi-682024)
2. **Mr.Sunil K.Sreedhar,** No.101, Seethai Vihar Apartments, 2nd Main, 3rd Cross, Chamundeswari Layout, Vidhyaraneeyapuram, Bangalore-560097
To The above said judgment debtors,
Whereas the decree holder has instituted the above Execution Petition, against the judgment debtors for recovery of **Rs. 21,29,487.00** with future interest and expenses. Whereas in the above-named E.P., the decree-holder, have applied for the sale of 45 cents of land comprised in Sy.No. 72/2 of Pooppara Village; You are hereby informed that the 18th day of August 2021 has been affixed for the setting the terms of the proclamation of sale under Order 21 Rule 66 of Code of Civil Procedure. The above judgment debtors are hereby required to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader on the **27th day of August 2021 at 11 O'clock,** to answer the same, failing which setting the terms of the proclamation of sale of sale schedule property as per law.

sd/-
By order
Advocate Jiju Xavier
Counsel for the decree holder

Sports Authority of India
KISCE, TSSS Hakimpet, Hyderabad, Telangana State
Notification No: 2286/SATS/ Khelo India/SLKIC/2018-19

Applications are invited in online mode from the eligible candidates for recruitment on contract basis for (10) vacancies at Khelo India State Centre of Excellence, TSSS Hakimpet, Hyderabad, Telangana State from **17.08.2021** to **31.08.2021.**

The detailed information along with the notification containing application form, eligibility conditions, mode of selection, interview etc., is available in URL: **https://recruitment.sats.telangana.gov.in/.**

The Vacancies are tentative and may subject to change.
Date: 17.08.2021
RO No: 2087-PP/CL-AGENCY/ADVT/1/2021-22

Sd/- K.S. Sreenivasa Raju, I.A.S.
Vice Chairman and Managing Director, SATS Hyderabad.

BENGALURU METROPOLITAN TRANSPORT CORPORATION
Traffic Commercial Department, Central Office,
2nd Floor, K.H. Road, Shanthinagar, Bengaluru - 560 027.

No. BMTC/CO/TR/COM/1237/2021-22 Date: 12-08-2021

TENDER /NEGOTIATION NOTIFICATION NO.09/2021-22
(Through e-Procurement Platform)

Bengaluru Metropolitan Transport Corporation invites offers / bids from the interested persons on monthly license fee basis for Running General Stalls / Refreshment Room / Parking Lot / Commercial / Office Spaces, invites bids from banks for grant of license for Installation / Erection of ATM counters. And invites bids for allotment of 2 BHK flats at Ebony St. Johns Woods Apartment at Koramangala (Tavarekere Road) for residential purpose.

1) Last Date & Time for Submission of Bids is on **06-09-2021 upto 12.00 Hrs.**
2) Opening of Financial Bids is on **08-09-2021 at 12.30 Hrs.**

Details for Rent, EMD & Area etc., log on to: **www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in** & Contact No: **080-23010900, 23010901, 22371090, 22340060, 22340948 or 7760991026 and 7760991222.** E-mail: **ctmc@mybmtc.com**

Sd/- Chief Traffic Manager (Com)
(Tender Inviting Authority)

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Market Watch

MARKET			GOLD			SILVER			FOREX		
145.29 ▲	Sensex	55,582.58	₹17.1 ▲	24 carat (1 gm)	₹4,670.2	₹110 ▼	Per kg	₹62,612	▲	Rupee	74.24
33.95 ▲	Nifty	16,563.05	₹17 ▲	22 carat (1 gm)	₹4,651.5	₹0.110 ▼	Per gm	₹62.612	▲	Euro	87.36

Modi govt is paying for UPA era fuel subsidies, says FM

Payments due for ₹1.44 lakh-cr bonds issued between 2005 & 2010

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THE government has once again blamed the United Progressive Alliance (UPA) government's oil bonds for higher prices of petrol and diesel. "Narendra Modi government is paying the price of UPA-era subsidies on petroleum goods," said Finance Minister Nirmala Sithraman when asked if the government is planning to cut excise duty on petrol and diesel.

The finance minister said that the Narendra Modi government has so far paid ₹60,205 crore in interest on oil bonds issued by UPA prior to 2014, and the total principal outstanding is ₹1.31 lakh crore which has to be repaid by 2025-26. According to the finance ministry, an additional ₹37,340 crore in interest will have to be paid between 2021-22 and 2025-26.

The government will have to repay the outstanding principal of ₹1.31 lakh crore in four tranches beginning this financial year when it will have to repay ₹10,000 crore.

The UPA government had between 2005 and 2010 issued oil bonds worth ₹1.44 lakh crore to oil marketing companies for the under-recoveries by the latter owing to subsidies given on petrol and diesel prices. These bonds were has maturity of 15-20 years.

Narendra Modi government is paying the price of UPA-era subsidies on petroleum goods

Nirmala Sitharaman, Finance Minister

The finance minister, who was addressing the media in Delhi on Monday, remained non-committal on the question of likely cut in excise duty on petroleum products.

Referring to the Tamil Nadu government's recent move to cut taxes on petrol and diesel by ₹3 a litre, she said states which had earlier hiked taxes by ₹7 are now cutting it by ₹3.

Taking a dig at the white paper released by the Tamil Nadu government on the fiscal situation of the state under previous AIADMK government, the finance minister said that Modi government in 2014 should also have released a similar white paper on the fiscal situation of the country under the UPA government.

Central and state taxes account for 50-55% of the price of petrol and diesel. In some states it could be higher. The Centre's collection from excise duty on petroleum products has doubled from ₹1.78 lakh crore in 2015-16 to ₹3.71 lakh crore in 2020-21. During the same time states collection from VAT/ sales tax on petroleum products have increased from ₹1.43 lakh crore to ₹2.03 lakh crore.

Petrol in most states is priced at over ₹100 a litre, while in some states like MP and Rajasthan, prices have crossed ₹110-mark. Diesel prices have breached ₹90-mark in most states.

Meanwhile, the finance minister has rejected the oppositions' allegation that the government has pushed through most of the impost bills without any debate. She said that she wanted to have debates on most of the bills related to finance ministry, but barring a few members none of the members from opposition participated in the debates.

'Retro tax repealed not under pressure'

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DELAY DUE TO ONGOING COURT CASES

We could not include the Bill in the Budget on such a short notice, and also could not present it in the Budget session as the session was itself curtailed, the finance minister said.

THE government's decision to repeal the retrospective amendment taxing capital gains arising from indirect transfer of assets located in India was not taken under any pressure or was an after-thought, finance minister Nirmala Sitharaman said on Monday in a media briefing held in Delhi.

The finance minister was responding to the question if the decision to repeal the retrospective tax came after Cairn Energy threatened the government of India with seizing its assets in foreign countries.

She said that the government was always against retrospective tax and the delay in repealing the retrospective tax was largely because of ongoing cases in the courts. "The final decision in one case came in September 2020, and in another case in December 2020. We could not include the Bill (to repeal the retrospective tax) in the Budget on such a short notice, and also could not present it in the Budget session as the session was itself curtailed," said the finance minister while explaining the timing of the decision.

Vodafone had won an arbitration award against the levying of taxes retrospectively while Cairn Energy won an arbitration award of $1.2 billion in international court of arbitration in the Hague in December. However, the Indian government had filed an appeal against the arbitral award. Meanwhile, Cairn Energy had filed a case in the US court to seize assets of Air India, as well as won a French court order to attach 20 Paris-based properties of the government of India in an attempt to recover the arbitral award.

On the question of whether Cairn Energy would accept the condition for refund of (retrospective) taxes paid by it given the refund amount is less than the arbitral award, the finance minister said that the government is in talks with Cairn, and that once the rules of the new bills are notified, there would be clarity on the issue.

The finance minister has, however, reiterated that the government stands by its stance that tax disputes are a sovereign issue which cannot be decided by bilateral investment treaties. It is to be noted that Cairn Energy had got a favourable arbitration award based on the rules of UK-India Bilateral Investment Treaty.

EXPRESS READ

Cryptocurrency bill: Cabinet nod awaited

New Delhi: Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman on Monday said she is awaiting an approval from the Cabinet on bill on cryptocurrency as the proposed legislation is before it. The inter-ministerial panel on cryptocurrency under the Chairmanship of Secretary (Economic Affairs) to study the issues and propose specific actions has already submitted its report. It has recommended all private cryptocurrencies will be prohibited.

Tariff hike key to sector revival: VIL CEO

New Delhi: Amid an existential struggle, Vodafone Idea on Monday said while its recent tariff tweaks are steps in the right direction, such changes are not enough and tariff hikes and floor pricing remain critical for the sector revival. Speaking during the Q1 earnings call, Vodafone Idea CEO Ravinder Takkar said although Kumar Mangalam Birla stepped down, he and Aditya Birla Group are committing to providing support and guidance to the company.

WPI inflation cools down to 11.2% in July, but stays in double-digits

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INFLATION in wholesale prices moderated to 11.16% in July from the 25-year high of 12.9% in May benefiting from a favourable base effect as well as softening of food price pressures. The moderation in WPI inflation mirrors the slowdown seen in retail price inflation in July. However, the July WPI continued to remain elevated with the hardening of crude oil and manufacturing input prices, registering double digit growth for the fourth consecutive month.

"The high rate of inflation in July is primarily due to low base effect and rise in prices of crude petroleum and natural gas, mineral oils, manufactured products like basic metals, food products, textiles, chemicals and chemical products etc. as compared the corresponding month of the previous year,'" the Commerce and Industry Ministry said.

Inflation in crude petroleum and natural gas was 40.28% in July, against 36.34% in June.

In manufactured products, inflation stood at 11.2% in July, against 10.88% in the previous month, signaling manufacturers regaining pricing power. The possibility of a gradual spillover into the CPI could threaten the current accommodative stance of the Reserve Bank of India's monetary policy committee, which is tasked with keeping inflation within the target range of 2-6%.

Inflation in food articles eased for the third straight month, and was at 'zero' % in July, down from 3.09% in June, even as onion prices drove the index up. Fuel & power inflation cooled to 26%, but the elevated print is reflective of higher LPG, kerosene, and electricity prices coupled with negative base effects. Manufacturing segments, such as machinery components and transport equipment, posted strong price gains, and as a result, core WPI inflation climbed to 10.8% in July from 10.4% in June. "The headline WPI inflation is expected to remain in double-digits until October 2021, and therefore its softening over the last two months is unlikely to provide any material comfort to the monetary policy committee," said Aditi Nayar, Chief Economist, ICRA.

Airlines' body opposes UDF hike proposal at Hyd airport

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AIRPORT operator GMR Group's proposal to increase aeronautical tariffs including user development fee (UDF) at the Rajiv Gandhi International Airport (Hyderabad) has been opposed by the Federation of Indian Airlines, whose members include IndiGo, SpiceJet ans GoAir.

GMR had proposed to Airports Economic Regulatory Authority (AERA) seeking an increase of UDF from the existing ₹281 per passenger to a whopping ₹608 from October 1 at the Hyderabad airport. The airport operator sought a 231% hike on international passengers to ₹1,300 from the current ₹393.

GHIAL (GMR Hyderabad International Airport Ltd), during the third control period, has proposed to gradually increase the UDF up to ₹728 and ₹2,200 by the end of 2025-26 for domestic and international passengers respectively.

"In this regard, FIA humbly requests AERA to not implement any increase in the aeronautical tariff in the third control period and defer any increase in the same to the subsequent control period, given the adverse financial impact of Covid-19 on airlines," FIA said in response to a consultation paper.

The AERA last month issued a consultation paper on the tariff revision for the third control period (April 2021 to March 2026) proposed by GHIAL that manages the aerodrome, seeking comments from the stakeholders.

Biz activity at pre-pandemic levels: Nomura

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THE pace of normalisation of economic activity surpassed the pre-pandemic levels after rising for two consecutive weeks in August, indicating a swift recovery from the second wave of the Covid-19 pandemic, according to Japanese brokerage Nomura.

The Nomura India Business Resumption Index (NIBRI), which tracks a weekly dashboard to capture a host of ultra high-frequency data, rose at 101.2 for the week ended August 15, rising above 100 for the first time since the devastating Covid-19 hit in March last year. This compares to the high frequency data indicator at 99.6 last week.

Google mobility indicators continued their uptick, with the workplace and retail & recreation index rising by 1.7 percentage points (pp) and 3.4pp, respectively, while the Apple driving index dropped by 0.8pp. Power demand rose a solid 5.7% week-on-week, while the labour participation rate eased to 40.4% from 41.5%. "It took the NIBRI nearly 10 months to crawl back towards the 100 mark after the first wave of Covid-19, but less than three months to cross 100 after the second wave. This supports our more positive growth outlook. We expect Q2 (April-June) GDP growth to contract sequentially (- 4.3% quarter-on-quarter), but rise 29.4% year-on-year, above RBI's expectations of 21.4%," according to Nomura economists Sonal Varma and Aurodeep Nandi.

The economy, however, is not yet out of the pandemic wood. GDP data for the second quarter of 2021 is due on August 31.

Even as the recovery is on, the pandemic has left behind some lasting scars. The consumption environment is still under stress, inflation is high, jobs remain scarce and wages subdued.

According to the latest Reserve Bank of India (RBI) survey, consumer sentiment in India was at a record low in July, weighed down by lower income and higher cost of living. The current score of the survey, which covered 5,384 households across 13 cities, was at 48.6 in July from 48.5 in May. A score below 100 suggests a pessimistic view in terms of economic conditions, while anything above that denotes otherwise.

OLA Electric CEO Bhavish Aggarwal at the launch of the company's e-scooter

Newly-launched Ola e-bike likely to dent petrol-run two-wheelers market

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OLA PRICES FIRST E-BIKE BELOW THE BENCHMARK FIGURE

EV comes in two trims —S1 priced at ₹99,999 (ex-showroom) and the S1 Pro costs ₹1,29,999 (ex-showroom).

OLA'S newly-launched electric scooter has narrowed the price gap between battery powered two-wheelers and petrol-run scooters. Also, in comparison to many premium e-2Ws that at present are priced upward of ₹1 lakh, Ola has managed to price its first product below the benchmark figure (even though only by ₹1).

Ola Electric on August 15th launched its much awaited product. The EV comes in two trims - S1 priced at ₹99,999 (ex-showroom) and the S1 Pro costs ₹1,29,999 (ex-showroom). However, after considering incentives offered by state governments, the electric scooters carries a different price tag in many states.

For example, in Delhi buyers can get the S1 at ₹85,099 while in Gujarat the final cost comes at ₹79,999. Compare to this, ex-showroom Delhi prices for best selling ICE (internal combustion engine) scooter Activa 125 is between ₹72,637-79,760 while that of Suzuki Access 125 falls between ₹72,600- 81,800. Add to it, conventional two-wheelers have to pay extra for registration charges and road taxes which makes on-road prices expensive by around 10%. With the government's recent announcement that EVs will not be charged road tax and many states announcing waiving off registration charges as well, Ola S1 could end up costing less than their ICE counterparts in many key markets.

This factor, along with its aggressive ramp-up plans can seriously dent the market share of incumbent players in the next 3-5 years, said market experts.

"The 2W segment is likely to witness a more near term adoption from EVs as start-ups such as Ather, Ola and others have aggressive ramp-up plans. The threat from EVs could emerge earlier i.e., over the next 3-5 years itself. Thus, the second stage DCF (discounted cash flow) assumptions will be at risk for the incumbents," said analysts at HDFC Securities.

DOLLAR DEBT

HDFC Bank to raise $1 billion via AT-1 bonds

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HDFC Bank on Monday said it will issue debt instruments in the form of Additional Tier (AT)-1 bonds, which would be the private lender's maiden AT-1 bonds offering in the international market, to raise debt capital.

The bank is likely to raise up to $1 billion from these dollar-denominated bonds.

"We had informed the stock exchanges that the Board of Directors of HDFC Bank in its meeting held on July 17, 2021, is contemplating raising of long-term funds through the issuance of $ Basel III Compliant Additional Tier-1 Bonds (Notes), in the international markets, subject to market conditions," according to a regulatory filing. An offering memorandum has been prepared and shall be made available to the prospective investors in relation to the contemplated issue of Notes, it added. Earlier in June, State Bank of India (SBI) also secured board approval to raise AT-1 bonds overseas or locally during the current financial year. The largest lender in the country plans to raise fresh AT-1 capital of up to ₹14,000 crore.

AT-1 bonds are perpetual bonds which add to the capital base of banks. They carry no maturity date but have a call option.

Moody's, meanwhile, has assigned "Ba3" rating to HDFC Bank's AT-1 capital bonds. "The Ba3 (hyb) rating is three notches below HDFC Bank's baa3 Baseline Credit Assessment (BCA) and Adjusted BCA," the rating agency said in a note.

PE investments hit record at $9.5 bn

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THE flourishing e-commerce industry has led the Private Equity/ Venture Capital deal activity to an all-time high to the tune of $9.5 billion during July, an increase of 77% compared to June when the transactions were recorded at $5.4billion as per a report released by the Ernst & Young and Indian Venture Capital Association. During July last year, the deal activity stood at $4.1 billion.

In terms of volume of transactions too, July month witnessed record levels as per the monthly round-up.

July saw 131 deals being signed, a 19% high compared to June (110 deals), and 77% higher YoY.

Walmart-backed Flipkart's $3.6-billion fundraise from Softbank, Tiger Global and others valuing the e-tailer at $37.6 billion, provided the momentum to the e-commerce industry which recorded a total deal value to $5.8 billion, accounting or 61% of the investments during the month.

This is also the highest monthly value recorded by the sector, taking the full year tally to $10.6 billion which is almost twice the previous high of$5.1 billion recorded in 2018 (full year) in the previous month and during the same period last year, as per the report.

The next biggest sectors were technology ($1.1 billion, 26 deals) and financial services ($435 million, 10 deals).

IPOs giving huge exits to investors

July was undeniably the month of IPOs with many existing stakeholders exiting the firms with healthy returns. Overall, the month recorded 22 exits worth $965 million, 7.2 times the value of exits in July 2020 ($134million) but 70% lower compared to June 2021 ($3.2 billion). Exits via secondary sale were the highest in July 2021 at $714 million across four deals.

TODAY'S STOCK PICK

Current Price ₹172.25

Target Price ₹220

NMDC

The steel plant de-merger process is expected to be completed by Dec'21. The divestment of the steel plant should create value for stakeholders as the market currently does not ascribe any value to NMDC's ~INR180b investment in the steel plant. We expect NMDC's EBITDA to grow by 70% YoY to INR149b in FY22E on the back of 23% volume growth and higher iron ore prices.

—Motilal Oswal Financial Services

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Rapido raises $52 mn as mobility gains pace

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BIKE taxi platform Rapido raised $52 million in the latest funding round led by Shell Ventures; Yamaha; Kunal Shah, Founder, CRED; Amarjit Singh Batra, CEO, Spotify India; and Positive Moves Consulting.

The round also saw the participation of existing investors – Pawan Munjal, Hero Group; Westbridge; Nexus Venture; and Everblue Management.

The flourishing e-commerce and hyperlocal delivery sector has proven to be a boon for vertical logistic players like Rapido, especially as the vaccination levels have spiked and restrictions on movements are eased.

The rapid scaling of quick commerce and hyperlocal delivery has further driven Rapido's expansion into on-demand logistics with Rapido Local and Rapido Store. The company's auto service, launched in 26 cities, has also recorded a four-fold growth and the company has witnessed a strong recovery of 85% as compared to pre-Covid times.

Bank of Baroda

Mayohall Branch (e-Vijaya Bank), PB No. 5118, Ground Floor, Public Utility Building, M G Road, Bangalore – 560 001.
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NOTICE TO BORROWER

(UNDER SUB-SECTION (2) OF SECTION 13 OF THE SARFAESI ACT, 2002)

To,

1. **Mr. G.P.Venkata Naidu,** No.401. 4th floor, Arya Krishna Apartments, Kodigehalli Extension, Vidyaranyapura, Canara Bank Layout, BANGALORE – 560092 **(Borrower)**
   Smt. G. Lakshmi Narasamma since deceased represented by her Legal Heirs, (a) Mr. G.P.Venkata Naidu (b) Mr. G. Jayaprakash,(c) Dr. (Mrs.) Gayani,(d) Smt. Geetha,(e) Smt. Saritha,C/o G.P.Venkata Naidu, No.401. 4th floor, Arya Krishna Apartments, Kodigehalli Extension, Vidyaranyapura, Canara Bank Layout, BANGALORE – 560092

Dear sir/s

***Re: : Credit facilities with our MAYOHALL BRANCH, BANGALORE. in the name of* Mr. G.P.Venkata Naidu & G. Lakshmi Narasamma (since deceased now rep. by her Legal Heirs (a) Mr. G.P.Venkata Naidu (b) Mr. G. Jayaprakash (c) Dr. (Mrs.) Gayani (d) Smt. Geetha (e) Smt. Saritha**

1. We refer to our letter dated 20.06.2018 and RO sanction communication NO. ROBN/CN/GMLCC/AM/20422/30/2018-19 dated 19.06.2018 conveying sanction of various credit facilities and the terms of sanction. Pursuant to the above sanction you have availed and started utilising the credit facilities after providing security for the same, as hereinafter stated. The present outstanding in various loan/credit facility accounts and the security interests created for such liability are as under:

Nature and type of facility	Limit (Rs)	Rate of Interest (at present)	O/s as on 31.03.2021 (inclusive of interest upto 31.08.2020)	Security agreement with brief description of securities
Term Loan(V-Rent) A/c. No. 73890600000505 (114608381000017)	8,05,00,000/-	MCLR+ 3.5 = 12.15%	Rs.8,52,29,270.00 Plus interest from 01.09.2020To till closure of loan	***mentioned below

***** Assignment of lease rent recievables.**

***All that piece and parcel of Converted Land (ALN(LAY) SR237/2008-09, SY No. 55/6, 54/2, 54/1 & 55/7, BBMP Khatha No.762/54/1, 54/2/55/4, 7 in the name G.P. Venkata Naidu situated at Jakkuru village, Yelahanka Hobli Bengalore – 560063 total land Measuring 28.5 guntas (7 guntas in Sy. No.55/6. 9 guntas in Sy.No.54/2, 1 guntas in Sy. No.54/1 and 11.5 guntas in Sy. No.55/7 total 28.5 guntas) i.e. 31036.5 sq. feet and RCC building consisting of Ground floor, First floor, Second floor, Third floor and terrace floor total built up area is 56958 sq. ft. East :Remaining portion of Sy. No. 55/6, 55/7, & 54/2, West : Remaining portion of Sy. No. 55/6, 55/7, & 54/2, North : Land belongs to Devaraj, Ramanna, T S Krishnaiah, Ramakrishna, Narayan & Gopal, South : Sy. No. 53 & Land belonging to N Hanumaiah.

2. In the letter of acknowledgement of debt dated **30.03.2019** you have acknowledged your liability to the Bank to the tune of **Rs.816.09 lakhs** as on **30.03.2019** The outstandings stated above include interest upto **28.02.2019**.
3. As you are aware, you have committed defaults in payment of interest on above loans/outstandings for the month ended **31.08.2020** and thereafter. You have also defaulted in payment of instalments of term loan/demand loans which have fallen due for payment on **31.08.2020** and thereafter.
4. Consequent upon the defaults committed by you, your loan account has been classified as non-performing asset on **29.12.2020** (mention date of classification as NPA) in accordance with the Reserve Bank of India directives and guidelines. In spite of our repeated requests and demands you have not repaid the overdue loans including interest thereon.
5. Having regard to your inability to meet your liabilities in respect of the credit facilities duly secured by various securities mentioned in para 1 above, and classification of your account as a non-performing asset, we hereby give you notice under sub-section (2) of section 13 of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, and call upon you to pay in full and discharge your liabilities to the Bank aggregating **Rs. 8,52,29,270.00 (Rupees Eight crore fifty two lakh twenty nine thousand two hundred seventy only), plus interest from 01.09.2020 plus applicable charges** as stated in para 1 above, within 60 days from the date of this notice. We further give you notice that failing payment of the above amount with interest till the date of payment, we shall be free to exercise all or any of the rights under sub-section (4) of section 13 of the said Act, which please note.
6. Please note that, interest will continue to accrue at the rates specified in para 1 above for each credit facility until payment in full.
7. We invite your attention to sub-section 13 of the said Act in terms of which you are barred from transferring any of the secured assets referred to in para 1 above by way of sale, lease or otherwise (other than in the ordinary course of business), without obtaining our prior written consent. We may add that non-compliance with the above provision contained in section 13(13) of the said Act, is an offence punishable under section 29 of the Act.
8. We further invite your attention to sub section (8) of section 13 of the said Act in terms of which you may redeem the secured assets, if the amount of dues together with all costs, charges and expenses incurred by the Bank is tendered by you, at any time before the date of publication of notice for public auction/inviting quotations/tender/private treaty. Please note that after publication of the notice as above, your right to redeem the secured assets will not be available.
9. Please note that this demand notice is without prejudice to and shall not be construed as waiver of any other rights or remedies which we may have, including without limitation, the right to make further demands in respect of sums owing to us.

Yours faithfully,
Sd/- M.B.RAJU,
Asst. General Manager
Authorised Officer.

Place: Bangalore
Date: 17.07.2021

Bank of Baroda

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NOTICE TO BORROWER

(UNDER SUB-SECTION (2) OF SECTION 13 OF THE SARFAESI ACT, 2002)

To,

1. **Mrs. Veena S. W/o** Yediurappa, No.40, Kodigehalli, Magadi Main Road, Bangalore – 560091.
   Mrs. Veena S. W/o Yediurappa, Site No.111. Khatha No.76, Asst. No.76, Balaji Layout, Venkateswara Temple Road, Byadarahalli, Herohalli Dhakela, Ward No.72, Yeshwanthapur Hobli, Bangalore - 72

Dear sir/s

***Re: Credit facilities with our MAYOHALL BRANCH, BANGALORE..in the name of* MRS. VEENA S - Housing Loan A/c. No.73890600000437(Old A/c. No. 114608351000119) and SB No.73890100008287.**

1. We refer to our letter No.**AGM/AVR/12192/49 dated 27.08.2015 (for Housing Loan A/c. No.73890600000437(Old A/c. No. 114608351000119) and dated 30.6.2021 (for SB No.73890100008287)** conveying sanction of various credit facilities and the terms of sanction. Pursuant to the above sanction you have availed and started utilising the credit facilities after providing security for the same, as hereinafter stated. The present outstanding in various loan/credit facility accounts and the security interests created for such liability are as under:

Nature and type of facility	Limit (Rs)	Rate of Interest (at present)	O/s as on 31.07.2021 (inclusive of interest upto 30.06.2021)	Security agreement with brief description of securities
Housing Loan A/c. No.73890600000437 (Old A/c. No. 114608351000119)	**75,00,000/-**	10% p.a. floating	Rs.75,74,060-72 Plus interest from 01.07.2021 To till closure of loan	***mentioned below
73890100008287	**3,59,812/-**	10.60%	3,67,990-47 plus interest from 01.07.2021 to till closure of loan	
Total	**78,59,812/-**		79,42,051.19	

***All the part and parcel of property in Site No. 111, Khata No. 76, East to west 40ft and North to South 30ft, In all measuring 1200sq.ft. along with RCC building of Ground, First & Second floor and situated at Balaji Layout, Venkateswara Temple Road, Byadarahalli, Herohalli Dakhale, Yeshwanthapur Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore, BBMP New Ward No.72. Herohalli and property is in the name of Veena S. Bounded by: East : Road, West : Site No.106, North : Site No. 110, South : Site No. 112

2. In the letter of acknowledgement of debt dated 08.07.2021 you have acknowledged your liability to the Bank to the tune of Rs.75.74 lakhs as on 08.07.2021 The outstandings stated above include interest upto 30.06.2021.
3. As you are aware, you have committed defaults in payment of interest on above loans/outstandings for the month ended 30.06.2021 and thereafter. You have also defaulted in payment of instalments of term loan/demand loans which have fallen due for payment on 30.06.2021 and thereafter.
4. Consequent upon the defaults committed by you, your loan account has been classified as non-performing asset on **31.03.2021** (mention date of classification as NPA) in accordance with the Reserve Bank of India directives and guidelines. In spite of our repeated requests and demands you have not repaid the overdue loans including interest thereon.
5. Having regard to your inability to meet your liabilities in respect of the credit facilities duly secured by various securities mentioned in para 1 above, and classification of your account as a non-performing asset, we hereby give you notice under sub-section (2) of section 13 of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, and call upon you to pay in full and discharge your liabilities to the Bank aggregating **Rs. 79,42,051.19** (Rupees Seventy nine lakh forty two thousand fifty one and paise nineteen only), plus interest from 01.07.2021 plus applicable charges as stated in para 1 above, within 60 days from the date of this notice. We further give you notice that failing payment of the above amount with interest till the date of payment, we shall be free to exercise all or any of the rights under sub-section (4) of section 13 of the said Act, which please note.
6. Please note that, interest will continue to accrue at the rates specified in para 1 above for each credit facility until payment in full.
7. We invite your attention to sub-section 13 of the said Act in terms of which you are barred from transferring any of the secured assets referred to in para 1 above by way of sale, lease or otherwise (other than in the ordinary course of business), without obtaining our prior written consent. We may add that non-compliance with the above provision contained in section 13(13) of the said Act, is an offence punishable under section 29 of the Act.
8. We further invite your attention to sub section (8) of section 13 of the said Act in terms of which you may redeem the secured assets, if the amount of dues together with all costs, charges and expenses incurred by the Bank is tendered by you, at any time before the date of publication of notice for public auction/inviting quotations/tender/private treaty. Please note that after publication of the notice as above, your right to redeem the secured assets will not be available.
9. Please note that this demand notice is without prejudice to and shall not be construed as waiver of any other rights or remedies which we may have, including without limitation, the right to make further demands in respect of sums owing to us.

Yours faithfully,
Sd/- M.B.RAJU,
Asst. General Manager
Authorised Officer.

Place: Bangalore
Date: 06.08.2021

Tamilnad Mercantile Bank Ltd.,

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BANGALORE CITY BRANCH

POSSESSION NOTICE

Whereas the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the **Tamilnad Mercantile Bank Ltd.,** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(12) read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued a demand notice dated **19.04.2021** calling upon the Joint Borrowers, **Mrs. Arockia Anitha Mary,** W/o.Mr. Arockia Xavier, **Mr. Daniel Sagayaraja,** S/o. Mr.D. Sebastian **and Mr. Arockia Xavier,** S/o.Mr.D.Sebastian to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.69,50,216.05** (Rupees Sixty Nine Lakh Fifty Thousand Two Hundred Sixteen and Paise Five Only) as on **31.03.2021** plus future interest thereon from **01.04.2021** and costs within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The Joint Borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the Joint Borrowers and the Public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with rule 8 of the Security Interest Enforcement Rules, 2002 on this the **12th day of August 2021.**

The Joint Borrowers' attention is hereby invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to redeem the secured assets.

The Joint Borrowers in particular and the Public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealing with the property will be subject to the charge of **Tamilnad Mercantile Bank Ltd., Bangalore City Branch** for **Rs.71,48,204.05** (Rupees Seventy One Lakh Forty Eight Thousand Two Hundred Four and Paise Five Only) as on **16.07.2021** with future interest from **17.07.2021** and costs thereon (Less recovery, if any, after 16.07.2021).

Description of the Property

Land to the extent of 1200 sq.ft. bearing Site No.101, CMC Katha No.508, BBMP Sr.No.1622, Old 508/101, Old HASB Katha No.541 and the building constructed thereat to the extent of 1750 sq.ft. (825 sq.ft. in Ground Floor, 825 sq.ft. in First Floor and 100 sq.ft. in Second Floor) bearing BBMP PID No.085-W0433-77 at Ward No.85, 5th Cross, Doddanekkundi Village, KR Puram Hobli, Bangalore, including all amenities standing jointly in the name of **Mrs.Arockia Anitha Mary and Mr.S.Daniel Sagayaraja. Boundaries:** North : Road, South: Site No.75, East : Site No.102, West : Site No.100.

Note: The above property is also offered as security for the Overdraft of Rs.10 Lakh (Balance outstanding is Rs.9,52,514.00 as on 31.07.2021) & Term Loan of Rs.15.00 Lakh (Balance outstanding is Rs.16,84,132.08) availed by **Mrs.Arockia Anitha Mary, Proprietor, M/s.AJS Buildwell** from our Bangalore City Branch.

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Tamilnad Mercantile Bank Ltd.
Bengaluru Region (For Bangalore City Branch)

Date : 12.08.2021

Karnataka Bank Ltd.

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CIN: L85110KA1924PLC001128

POSSESSION NOTICE
(For Immovable Property)

Whereas, the Authorised Officer of **Karnataka Bank Limited,** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a demand notice dated **07-05-2021** calling upon the borrowers/mortgagors/guarantors **(1) Mr.Jagadeesh Kumar H.S.,** S/o Mr.Sriranga Shetty, **(2) Mr.Santosh H.J.,** S/o Mr.Jagadeesh Kumar H.S., **(3) Mrs.Kalpana H.J.,** W/o Mr.Jagadeesh Kumar H.S., **No.1 to 3 are addressed at:** No.6/84, 'Dharmashree Nilaya', Karibasavaiah Compound, B.H.Road, Tiptur-572202 to repay an aggregate amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.73,46,383=00 [Rupees Seventy Three Lakh Fourty Six Thousand Three Hundred Eighty Three Only]** under **PSTL A/c No.7677001800041801** along with future interest from **01-04-2020,** within **60 days** from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrowers, mortgagors and the guarantors having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers, mortgagors, guarantors and the public in general **that the undersigned has taken the possession of the property described herein below** in exercise of powers conferred on him under Section 13 (4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 & 9 of the said Rules on this **13th day of August-2021.**

The borrowers, the mortgagors and the guarantors in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of **Karnataka Bank Limited, Tiptur-K.R.Extension Branch** for an aggregate amount of **Rs.80,23,289=47 [Rupees Eighty Lakh Twenty Three Thousand Two Hundred Eighty Nine And Paise Forty Seven Only]** under **PSTL A/c No.7677001800041801** along with future interest from **01-04-2021,** plus costs.

(The borrower's attention is invited to the provisions of Sub- section (8) of Sec.13 of the Act, in respect of time available to redeem the secured asset).

Description of the Immovable Property

All that part and parcel of **Residential Vacant Site Property** bearing **Site No.17,** measuring **3240.00 Sq.ft,** [East to West: 72 Ft and North to South: 45 Ft], Property ID No: 150300201900700484, Khata No.407/266/17, comprised in Sy.No.73 and 83, situated at Bhychapura Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anneshwara Grama Panchayath, Devanahalli Taluk belonging to **1) Mr.Jagadeesh Kumar H.S. and 2) Mr.Santosh H.J. Boundaries as per documents : East** : Road, **West:** Sy.No.72, **North** : Site No.18, **South:** Site No.16.

Place: Bhychapura Village, Devanahalli Taluk
Date: 13.08.2021

Sd/- Chief Manager &
Authorised Officer
For Karnataka Bank Ltd.,

ಶ್ರೀ ಸುಬ್ರಮಣ್ಯೇಶ್ವರ ಕೋ–ಆಪರೇಟಿವ್ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕ್ ಲಿಮಿಟೆಡ್
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Ref. No. SSCB/535/2020-21

DEMAND NOTICE

Date: 23/03/2021

To

1. **Smt. Kappa Tulise,** No. 22, 2nd Cross, 4th Main, J.C. Nagar, Geleyara Balaga, Bangalore- 5600086.
2. **Sri Babu Rajan K.P.,** No. 22, 2nd Cross, 4th Main, J.C. Nagar, Geleyara Balaga, Bangalore- 5600086.
3. **Sri. Upendra Singh N.,** No. 71, 2nd Main Road, Janatha Colony, Near Bus stop, Mariyappana playa, Bangalore University, Bangalore-56

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 13 (2) OF THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT 2002

At your request, you have been granted a term loan of Rs. 26,00,000.00 (Rupees Twenty Six Lakhs only) on 21/04/2018 for Clear Debts purpose, The said loan facilities was granted against the security of your Immovable property bearing No. 22 (previously Southern Portion of Site No. 4, Carved out of Land in Sy. No.175 and later 172 situated at Laggere Village, Kethamaranahalli, Yeshwanthpura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk), now situated in Fourth Main Road, J.C. Nagar Bangalore Ward No. 13 Geleyara Balaga Ward having PID No.13-32-22, Bengaluru belongs to Smt. Kappa Tulise, creating security interest in favour of the Bank. The relevant particulars of the said Loan facilities and the amount outstanding repayable by you, is as stated in schedule "A". The said financial assistance was granted with an undertaking, to repay in terms of the agreement (s)/document (s), duly executed by you in favour of the Bank. You have also created Mortgage by way of registration of Simple Mortgage Deed, creating security interest in favour of the Bank. The particulars of the security assets are as stated in schedule "B". The operation and conduct of the accounts in respect of the above Loan Facilities have become irregular and the debts have been classified as **"NON PERFORMING ASSETS"** since 19/12/2019 in accordance with the directives /guidelines relating to Asset classification, issued by Reserve Bank of India, consequent to the default committed by you in repayment of the principal debts and interest thereon. The said Loan facilities are also secured by the personal guarantees executed by: Sri Upendra Singh.N, Residing at No. 71, 2nd Main Road, Janatha Colony, Near Bus Stop Mariyappana playa, Bangalore University, Bangalore-560056. Despite repeated requests, contacts, persuasions and notices, legal notice, you have failed and neglected to repay the over dues / outstanding liabilities.

Therefore, the Bank hereby calls upon you under section 13 (2) of the subject Act by issuing this notice, to discharge in full outstanding liabilities stated hereunder, to the Bank within **60 days from the date of this notice.** Your outstanding liabilities due and owing to the Bank as on **28/02/2021 is Rs. 26,28,608.00 (Rupees Twenty Six Lakhs Twenty Eight Thousand Six Hundred and Eight Only)** Details as per Schedule 'A'. You are also liable to pay future interest at the contractual rate @ 14% p,a on monthly/quarterly rest and penal interest @ 2% p.a on the aforesaid amount together with incidental legal expenses, costs, charges, etc, from 01.03.2021. If you fail to repay to the Bank the aforesaid sum of **Rs. 26,28,608-00 (Rupees Twenty Six Lakhs Twenty Eight Thousand Six Hundred and Eight Only)** with interest and incidental expenses, costs, charges etc, as stated above in terms of this NOTICE issued under section 13(2) of the subject Act, the Bank will exercise all or any of the rights detailed under section 13(4) and also under other applicable provisions of the subject Act. This notice is without prejudice to the Bank's right to initiate such other actions or legal proceedings, as it deems fit and necessary under any other applicable provisions of Law. **Please be informed that, on receipt of this notice, as per the provisions of Section 13 Sub-Section (13) of the subject Act, you are here by restrained from transferring by way of sale, lease, or otherwise, any of the assets secured to the Bank, without prior written consent from the Bank. Non compliance with these provisions is punishable under section 29 of said Act.**

SCHEDULE "A"

Sl. No.	Nature of Facility	Amount outstanding as on 28-02-2021		
		Principal	Interest & others	Total
1.	IP-55000959 Clear Debts	24,05,391.00	2,23,217.00	26,28,608.00

(Rupees Twenty Six Lakhs Twenty Eight Thousands Six Hundred and Eight Only) and future interest and other applicable charges/costs from 01-03-2021.

SCHEDULE "B" - Mortgaged Immovable Property

All that piece and parcel of schedule property bearing No.22 (previously Southern Portion of Site No.4, carved out of Land in Sy. No.175 and later 172 situated at Laggere Village, Kethamaranahalli, Yeshwanthpura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk),now situated in Fourth Main Road, J C Nagar Bangalore Ward No.13, Geleyara Balaga Ward having PID No.13-32-22, measuring East to West 30Feet and North to South 20 Feet, in all ad-measuring 600 Sq.ft., together with structures standing thereon and bounded: as follows: East by-Site No.5; West by-Road; North by-Northern Portion of Site No.4 belonging to Sri.M.Shantharaju; South by-Road. **Property belongs to Smt. Kappa Tulise**.

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Sree Subramanyeshwara Co. Op Bank Ltd.,
Bangalore 560004

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NOTICE TO BORROWER

(UNDER SUB-SECTION (2) OF SECTION 13 OF THE SARFAESI ACT, 2002)

To,

1. **Mrs. Indira Uthappa,** No.3, 3rd Cross, Manjunatha Layout, R.T.nagar Post, Bangalore – 560032, **(Borrower)**
2. **Mr. T.P.Uthappa,** No.3,3rd Cross, Manjunatha Layout, R.T.Nagar Post, Bangalore – 560032, **(Borrower)**

Dear sir/s

***Re: Credit facilities with our MAYOHALL BRANCH, BANGALORE..in the name of* Mrs. INDIRA UTHAPPA & MR. T.P.UTHAPPA -1. Housing Loan A/c. No.73890600000425 (Old A/c. No.103808351000144) - 2.OD A/c.No. 73890400000043 (Old A/c. No. 103806371000009) & - 3.Personal Loan A/c. No. 73890600002790.**

1. We refer to our letter No.**ROB/RACPC/SM/SSS/1583 dated 06.11.2007 (for Housing Loan A/c. No. 73890600000425), BMDP/CM/KVBM/8/2017-18 dated 15.04.2017(for A/c.No. 73890400000043) and BMDP/AGM/MBR/MH/293/20-21 dated 30.03.2021(for A/c. No. 73890600002790)** conveying sanction of various credit facilities and the terms of sanction. Pursuant to the above sanction you have availed and started utilising the credit facilities after providing security for the same, as hereinafter stated. The present outstanding in various loan/credit facility accounts and the security interests created for such liability are as under:

Nature and type of facility	Limit (Rs)	Rate of Interest (at present)	O/s as on 31.07.2021 RS. Ps.	Security agreement with brief description of securities
Housing Loan A/c. No.73890600000425 (Old A/c. No. 103808351000144)	**9,00,000/-**	10% p.a. floating	**1,38,574.63** Plus interest from 30.04.2021 To till closure of loan	***mentioned below
OD A/c.No. 73890400000043 (Old A/c. No. 103806371000009)	**6,75,000/-**	1year MCLR + 3.20 = 11.90%	**6,91,193.01** plus interest from 01.06.2021 to till closure of loan	***mentioned below
Personal Loan A/c. No. 7890600002790	**90,000/-**	9.85%	**90,000.00** plus interest from 30.04.2021 to till closure of loan	***mentioned below
Total			**9,19,767.64**	

***All the part and parcel of residential property bearing New BBMP No.3, PID No. 96-9-3, formerly Western Portion of BMP No.03, 3rd Cross, Manjunatha Layout, Cholanayakanahalli, Ward, No.96,BBMP (previously portion of BMP No.3, formerly House List No.14, in Assessment No.75/4, Katha No.674/1 situated at Cholanayakanahalli, Village Kasaba Hobli, R.T.Nagar Post, Bangalore North Taluk), Bangalore measuring East to West 15 feet and North to South 40 feet total measuring 600sq.feet alongwith the residential building consisting of GF, FF, SF and TF in the name of Smt. Indira Uthappa. Bounded by : East : New BBMP No.3/1A, formerly eastern portion of BMP No.3 belongs to Smt. Kalavathi, West : Site No.15, North : Property belongs to Sri Chikkamuniyappa, South : Road.

2. In the letter of acknowledgement of debt dated **31.03.2019** you have acknowledged your liability to the Bank to the tune of **Rs.2.04 lakhs** as on **31.03.2019** The outstandings stated above include interest upto **31.03.2019(for Housing Loan A/c. No.73890600000425 (Old A/c. No.103808351000144).**
   In the renewal documents dated **25.09.2018** you have executed documents to the Bank to the tune of **Rs.6.75 lakhs** as on **25.09.2018** (for **OD A/c.No. 73890400000043 (Old A/c. No. 103806371000009)**
   In the loan documents dated **30.03.2021** you have executed documents to the Bank to the tune of **Rs.0.90 lakhs** as on **30.03.2021** (for Personal loan **A/c. No. 73890600002790)**
3. As you are aware, you have committed defaults in payment of interest on above loans/outstandings for the month ended **29.04.2021** and thereafter. You have also defaulted in payment of instalments of term loan/demand loans which have fallen due for payment on **29.04.2021** and thereafter**(for Housing Loan A/c. No.73890600000425 (Old A/c. No.103808351000144)).**
   As you are aware, you have committed defaults in payment of interest on above loans/outstandings for the month ended **31.05.2021** and thereafter. You have also defaulted in payment of instalments of term loan/demand loans which have fallen due for payment on **31.05.2021** and thereafter (for **OD A/c.No. 73890400000043 (Old A/c. No. 103806371000009) .**
   As you are aware, you have committed defaults in payment of interest on above loans/outstandings for the month ended **29.04.2021** and thereafter. You have also defaulted in payment of instalments of term loan/demand loans which have fallen due for payment on **29.04.2021** and thereafter (for Personal loan **A/c. No. 73890600002790).**
4. Consequent upon the defaults committed by you, your loan account has been classified as non-performing asset on **29.07.2021** (mention date of classification as NPA) in accordance with the Reserve Bank of India directives and guidelines. In spite of our repeated requests and demands you have not repaid the overdue loans including interest thereon.
5. Having regard to your inability to meet your liabilities in respect of the credit facilities duly secured by various securities mentioned in para 1 above, and classification of your account as a non-performing asset, we hereby give you notice under sub-section (2) of section 13 of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, and call upon you to pay in full and discharge your liabilities to the Bank aggregating **Rs. 9,19,767.64 (Rupees Nine lakh nineteen thousand seven hundred sixty seven and paise sixty four only), plus interest and applicable charges** as stated in para 1 above, within 60 days from the date of this notice. We further give you notice that failing payment of the above amount with interest till the date of payment, we shall be free to exercise all or any of the rights under sub-section (4) of section 13 of the said Act, which please note.
6. Please note that, interest will continue to accrue at the rates specified in para 1 above for each credit facility until payment in full.
7. We invite your attention to sub-section 13 of the said Act in terms of which you are barred from transferring any of the secured assets referred to in para 1 above by way of sale, lease or otherwise (other than in the ordinary course of business), without obtaining our prior written consent. We may add that non-compliance with the above provision contained in section 13(13) of the said Act, is an offence punishable under section 29 of the Act.
8. We further invite your attention to sub section (8) of section 13 of the said Act in terms of which you may redeem the secured assets, if the amount of dues together with all costs, charges and expenses incurred by the Bank is tendered by you, at any time before the date of publication of notice for public auction/inviting quotations/tender/private treaty. Please note that after publication of the notice as above, your right to redeem the secured assets will not be available.
9. Please note that this demand notice is without prejudice to and shall not be construed as waiver of any other rights or remedies which we may have, including without limitation, the right to make further demands in respect of sums owing to us.

Yours faithfully,
Sd/- M.B.RAJU,
Asst. General Manager
Authorised Officer.

Place: Bangalore
Date: 05.08.2021

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POSSESSION NOTICE
(For Immovable Property)

Whereas, the Authorised Officer of **Karnataka Bank Limited,** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a demand notice dated **18-05-2021** calling upon the borrowers/mortgagor/guarantors **(1) Mrs.Jayamma,** W/o Mr.Yadiyurappa, **(2) Mr.Yadiyurappa,** S/o Mr.Thotadacharya, **(3) Mr.Shashikumar,** S/o Mr.Yadiyurappa, **(4) Mr.Yathish,** S/o Mr.Yadiyurappa, **No.1 to 4 are residing at:** IDSMT Colony, Thirumale, Magadi Town, Ramanagara District-562120 to repay an aggregate amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.5,52,276=00 [Rupees Five Lakh Fifty Two Thousand Two Hundred Seventy Six Only]** under **TL A/c No.5817001600001701** along with future interest from **20-04-2021,** within **60 days** from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrowers, mortgagor and the guarantors having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers, mortgagor, guarantors and the public in general **that the undersigned has taken the possession of the property described herein below** in exercise of powers conferred on him under Section 13 (4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 & 9 of the said Rules on this **13th day of August-2021.**

The borrowers, the mortgagor and the guarantors in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of **Karnataka Bank Limited, Magadi Branch** for an aggregate amount of **Rs.5,72,341=92 [Rupees Five Lakh Seventy Two Thousand Three Hundred Forty One And Paise Ninety Two Only]** under **TL A/c No.5817001600001701** along with future interest from **20-07-2021,** plus costs.

(The borrower's attention is invited to the provisions of Sub- section (8) of Sec.13 of the Act, in respect of time available to redeem the secured asset).

Description of the Immovable Property

All that part and parcel of **Residential Property** bearing **Site No.117,** measuring **750 Sq.ft,** [East to West: 25 Feet and North to South: 30 Feet], Old Municipal Katha No.4738/5183, New Katha No.135/4738/5183 together with building constructed thereon situated at Ward No.4, IDSMT Colony, Thirumale, Magadi Town, Ramanagara District belonging to **Mrs.Jayamma. Boundaries as per documents : East** : Site No.118, **West:** Site No.116, **North :** Road, **South:** Site No.103.

Place: Magadi Town
Date: 13.08.2021

Sd/- Chief Manager &
Authorised Officer
For Karnataka Bank Ltd.,

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Aditi books Women's British Open spot

Indian golfer Aditi Ashok qualified for the AIG Women's British Open after carding a superb two-under 68 to grab the second place at the 18-hole Qualifiers at Panmure Golf Club in Carnoustie. The 23-year-old star, who had the entire Indian nation enthralled finishing fourth in Tokyo, was one of the two Indians vying for one of the 15 spots on offer for the Major.

SHAMI SIDE UP

After heroics of India's lower-order, bowlers help visitors to win

VIVEK KRISHNAN @Chennai

IF you were an Indian fan turning up at Lord's for the final day of the second Test, you may have been pinning your hopes on Mohammed Shami and Jasprit Bumrah to play starring roles with the ball. They did play starring roles, but it was their entirely unexpected contributions with the willow that scripted a remarkable turnaround in India's favour on a nerve-racking day of Test cricket bristling with high drama and flaring tempers. India registered a 151-run victory to take a 1-0 series lead. The target of 272 for England was merely academic as they were bundled out for 120 with 8.1 overs left in the day.

Shami and Bumrah put together an unbroken stand of 89 runs for the ninth wicket before breathing fire with the ball in hand on a memorable day for India. The partnership helped Virat Kohli's boys declare their second innings on 298/8 just after lunch. It left the Indian bowlers with 60 overs to get the ten England wickets, and it proved to be more than enough in the end.

Shami scored 56 not out while Bumrah chipped in with unbeaten 34. The Indians had gone into the fifth day fretting over their prospects of saving the Test, but worry turned into joy as a result of Shami and Bumrah's exploits with the bat. The baffling tactics of England captain Joe Root in the morning session did not help his side's cause.

And when the turn came for Shami and Bumrah to deliver with the ball, they steamed in with sustained intensity. The duo got down to business right away, removing both the England openers for ducks. They extracted extravagant movement and looked incredibly potent in fiery new-ball spells. The wily Ishant Sharma too came to the fore, claiming two scalps to reduce England to 67/4 at tea. Joe Root was still standing for England at the tea interval, but the first over from Bumrah after tea saw the prolific run-maker return to the dressing room.

Mohammed Siraj was perhaps feeling left out until then but soon joined in on the act. After a brief spell of resistance from Jos Buttler and Moeen Ali, Siraj induced the outside edges of both Moeen and Sam Curran off successive balls in the 39th over to inch closer towards a victory. The pacer also dismissed Buttler and James Anderson in the 52nd over to help India emerge victorious.

The England innings could have folded earlier had Buttler not been dropped by Virat Kohli in the 27th over.

SCOREBOARD

India 1st innings: 364 all out; **England 1st innings:** 391 all out; **India 2nd innings (O/N181/6):** Pant c Buttler b Robinson 22, Ishant lbw b Robinson 16, Shami not out 56, Bumrah not out 34; **Extras:** (B-2, LB-12, NB-1) **15; Total:** 298/8 decl in 109.3 ovs; **FoW:** 7-194, 8-209; **Bowling:** Anderson 25.3-6-53-0, Robinson 17-6-45-2, Wood 18-4-51-3, Curran 18-3-42-1, Ali 26-1-84-2, Root 5-0-9-0. **England 2nd innings:** Burns c Siraj b Bumrah 0, Sibley c Pant b Shami 0, Hameed lbw Ishant 9, Root c Kohli b Bumrah 33, Bairstow lbw Ishant 2, Buttler c Pant b Siraj 25; Ali c Kohli b Siraj 13, Curran c Pant b Siraj 0, Robinson lbw b Bumrah 9, Wood not out 0, Anderson b Siraj 0; **Extras** (B-17, LB-7, NB-4, W-9): **29; Total** (all out, 51.5 ovs) **120; FoW: 1-1,** 2-1, 3-44, 4-67, 5-67, 6-90, 7-90; 8-120, 9-120; **Bowling:** Bumrah 15-3-33-3, Shami 10-5-13-1, Jadeja 6-3-5-0, Siraj 10.5-3-32-4, Ishant 10-3-13-2

ATP tour event in India unlikely next season

SWAROOP SWAMINATHAN @Chennai

EVEN if the ATP tour has resumed during the pandemic, events in Asia have been few and far in between. On August 9, the body's chairman, via a media release on the ATP website said: "We have maintained a flexible approach to the calendar this year due to the constantly evolving nature of the pandemic," he told them. "It's extremely unfortunate to announce the cancellation of our Asia swing this season and we look forward to returning in 2022." During that announcement, the ATP confirmed the cancellation of Shanghai (Masters), Zhuhai and Chengdu (250s).

Worryingly, this Asian stasis could spillover into next year as well, specifically from an Indian context. The Pune Open (another 250), which was formally cancelled for the year by ATP last week, already faces a fight to host it in its normal slot early next year. They are in talks with IMG as well as ATP to decide on the fate of the 2022 event but before going forward, the ATP wants some kind of assurances with respect to quarantines and so on. The thing is visas for entering the country is still not as it was pre-pandemic. Even otherwise, the question marks persist as the organisers haven't spoken to the foreign players about coming to Pune Open. "We can only do that (speak to players) once we finalise the date of the tournament," an insider said.

Usually, the conversation between players and local organising committee begin around March or April before concrete agreements are reaching a week or so after Wimbledon.

Even after taking a challenging year, a lot of dominoes will have to fall in place between now and September for the Pune Open to go ahead. This paper has also learnt that the option of postponing may not work.

"It has to be held in February or it may not happen in 2022." India hosted one ATP 250 event for 25 consecutive years from 1996. With 2021 ruled out, not hosting it in 2022 also could be a big blow to India's players.

Full story: newindianexpress.com

Afghanistan team trip to SL delayed

FIROZ MIRZA @Chennai

AFGHANISTAN cricket team's departure for Sri Lanka for a bilateral series against Pakistan has been delayed due to the recent turmoil in the country. The Afghanistan Cricket Board (ACB), however, claimed that the cricketers are safe and most of them are undergoing training for the upcoming tour. Star players including T20 captain Rashid Khan, Mohammad Nabi, Mujeeb ur Rehman and Qais Ahmed are said to be in the United Kingdom playing for their respective franchises in The Hundred.

"Earlier, we could not leave as we were awaiting approval from the Sri Lankan government including its defence ministry. We now have procured all necessary permission from the Sri Lankan government but the Kabul airport is not functional at the moment," an ACB source closely monitoring the situation told this daily from Kabul.

A video of hundreds of people jostling to climb into an airplane parked at the airport went viral on Monday. As per Reuters, the Afghanistan Civil Aviation Authority has also asked all transit aircraft to reroute, adding any transit through Kabul airspace would be uncontrolled.

"I am at the ACB office only. We all including the players are safe. Once we get the flight, we will fly out of the country for the bilateral series. But that looks unlikely at least for a few days," added the source.

The series was earlier scheduled in the UAE. However, it has to be shifted to Sri Lanka due to the unavailability of venues as the remaining IPL is scheduled to be played there. The bilateral series, which incidentally will be the first between Afghanistan and Pakistan, comprises three ODIs. The matches will be played in Hambantota on September 3, 5 and 8. Even Rashid Khan and Mohammad Nabi had made an appeal on a social networking site to the world leaders to help their country.

The source, however, affirmed that there is nothing to worry about. A former ACB official also said the transition has been peaceful so other activities including cricket is likely to continue as usual.

Full story: newindianexpress.com

Roach Seales one-wicket thrilling win

AFP @Kingston

WEST INDIES scrambled a pulsating one-wicket victory over Pakistan on Sunday as the visitors self-destructed in the final session of the fourth day when on course to take the first Test of the two-match series at Sabina Park.

Defending a modest target of 168 after they were dismissed in the morning session for 203, Shaheen Shah Afridi led the attack with figures of four for 50 in reducing the home side to 114 for seven at tea with only wicketkeeper-batsman Joshua da Silva and the tailenders left. However, in scenes reminiscent of a similar one-wicket loss in the deciding Test of the 2000 series in Antigua, the Pakistanis lost the discipline in their bowling and composure in the field.

Three catches were missed to allow Kemar Roach and last man Jayden Seales to take their team to the target with a last-wicket partnership of 17. Roach, who was dropped twice, hit the winning runs off Hasan Ali to finish unbeaten on 30.

Brief scores: Pakistan 217 and 203 lost to West Indies 253 and 168/9

EXPRESS READ

Federer needs 3rd surgery on his right knee

BASEL: Roger Federer is going be sidelined for months because he needs a third operation on his right knee, a procedure he said will leave him with 'a glimmer of hope' that he can return to competition. Federer announced the news via a video message on Instagram.

Bacelona ease past Sociedad sans Messi

MADRID: Barcelona started life without Lionel Messi by beatting Real Sociedad 4-2 in their La Liga opener on Sunday even if fans admitted it felt like "a leap into the unknown". Captain Gerard Pique gave them a 19th minute lead. Martin Braithwaite scored in first half injury time and in the 59th minute. Sergi Roberto added a fourth in the last minute.

LOCAL EXPRESS

Ajitesh, Prithviraj stars in Social's win

BENGALURU: Social Cricketers beat Modern Cricket Club by 120 runs in the KSCA Group I – I Division League Tournament for Sir Mirza Ismail Shield. Ajitesh G starred with a 47-ball 107, helping Social score 372/8 in 50 overs. Ritesh Bhatkal also scored 69 runs. Modern only managed 252/8 in 50 overs as Prithviraj scalped five wickets. In one of the other games, Sharath Srinivas scored an unbeaten 125 to help Bangalore United Cricket Club (1) defeat Friends Union Cricket Club (1) by 30 runs.

India cagers off to Jeddah for Asia Cup qualifier

ASHIM SUNAM @ Bengaluru

THE Indian men's basketball team left for Jeddah in Saudi Arabia on Monday with just one mission on their mind — qualify for the FIBA Asia Cup 2021. It is their final chance to book a berth for the top continental competition. They are placed in Group H of the qualifying tournament, which also includes Palestine and Saudi Arabia. Top two teams are set to qualify for the 16-nation tournament, scheduled in Indonesia next year.

India advanced into this qualifying tournament after finishing third in Group D in the earlier qualifying rounds, which concluded in February. India announced their 12-member squad on Saturday and have a decent chance of making it to the Asia Cup.

The Indian team, despite possessing some young players, will look for their experienced men, including Amjyot Singh, Amritpal Singh and captain Vishesh Bhriguvanshi, to deliver the goods.

The 25-year-old hoopster, Muin Bek Hafeez, also impressed in the qualifying rounds and one expects a similar show this time around from the point guard. Throw in Aravind Annadurai and NBA Academy India products in the form of Arvind Kumar, Pranav Prince and Prashant Singh Rawat, they resemble a strong squad. It remains to be seen how head coach Veselin Matic can get the best out of his players.

However, it is not going to be a walk in the park for Matic and his men. India (78) might be slightly higher ranked than Palestine (83) and Saudi Arabia (87), but playing the latter at their home could be a challenge. Basketball Federation of India Chandermukhi Sharma is quite positive about India's chances.

"The team has been training quite regularly and I am hopeful that they will qualify (for Asia Cup). If you look at the team, which has been picked, there are some good youngsters in the 12-member squad. And also, Amjyot, Amritpal and Vishesh are our most experienced players at the international level too so they should do well," Sharma told this daily. India will face Saudi Arabia and Palestine on Friday and Saturday respectively.

Squad: Muin Bek Hafeez, Aravind Annadurai, Arvind Kumar Muthu Krishnan, Jagdeep Singh, Amjyot Singh, Amritpal Singh, **Vishesh Bhriguvanshi (c)**, Prashant Singh Rawat, Joginder Singh, Sahaij Pratap Singh Sekhon, Pratyanshu Tomar and Pranav Prince. **Head Coach: Veselin Matic.**

Government of Karnataka
Office of The Executive Engineer,
Rural Drinking Water & Sanitation Department,
Mandya Division, Mandya, Phone: 08232-222363,
email:eerwsmdy@gmail.com
No:EE/RDW&SD/MDY/JJM TENDER/2021-22/892
Dated:07.08.2021.

Short Term Tender Notification NO-10/2021-22
(Single & Two Cover System)

On behalf of Governor of karnataka, The E.E, R.D.W & S Division, Mandya invited tender for Providing FHTCs works in K.R.Pete, Maddur, Malvalli, Nagamangala & Pandavapura Tq, Mandya District from eligible bidders. Last Date & Time for Receipt of Bids : **24.08.2021 Time 05.30 PM,** Date & Time of Technical & Financial Bid **Opening:25.08.2021 Time :05:35 PM,** Date & Time of **Financial Bid Opening : 27.08.2021 Time:11:00 AM,** Amount Put ro tender Maximum : **Rs.215.94 Lakhs.** More details can be obtained through e-procurement portal of Govt of karnataka **www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in** or from this office during working hours.**Phone No: 08232-222363.**

Sd/-Executive Engineer,
Rural Drinking Water and Sanitation Division, Mandya
DIPR/AD-MDY/MCA/279/2021-22

GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA,
"e"- PROCUREMENT NOTICE
WORKS DEPARTMENT
B-302 E-mail: ceroads.bbsr@gmail.com

RFP Identification No. CE-DPI & R – 01/2021-22

1. The Chief Engineer, D.P.I. & Roads, Odisha (Authority) on behalf of the Works Department, Govt. of Odisha is engaged in the Development of State Roads and Highways in Odisha, and, as part of this endeavour, Govt. of Odisha has decided to undertake the following **"Project"** under EPC Contract (Engineering, Procurement and Construction) basis. and has decided to carry out the bid process for selection of the parties/Joint Ventures to whom the Project may be awarded eventually.

2.	Nature of project	:	Bridge work.
3.	No. of project	:	1 No.
4.	Tender Paper cost	:	Rs.10,000.00
5.	Class of Contractor	:	**Super Class**
6.	Available of bid document in the website	:	**From 10.00 A.M. of 17.08.2021 to 5.30 PM of 17.09.2021**
7.	Date of Pre-Application conference	:	**31.08.2021 at 12.30 P.M.**
8.	Date of opening of Bid	:	**Dt.21.09.2021 at 3.00 P.M.**

9. The Bidders have to participate in **ONLINE** bidding only. Further details can be seen from the website: **https://tenderodisha.gov.in** . Any addendum / corrigendum/ cancellation of tender can also be seen in the said website.

Sd/- Chief Engineer (DPI & Roads), Odisha
OIPR-34117/11/0033/2122

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No.PCB/515/17 Cat /EPH/VINP Distilleries and Sugars/2021-22/2263 Dated: 16.08.2021

ENVIRONMENTAL PUBLIC HEARING NOTIFICATION

M/s. VINP Distilleries and Sugars Pvt Ltd., have proposed to establish Molasses based dual feed distillery of capacity 300 KLD with 3500 TCD Sugar Plant, 10 MW Co-generation plant and 4 MW Power Generation from incineration boiler at Sy. 42,43 and 53 at Konanakere Village, Shiggaon Taluk, Haveri District, Karnataka.

As Per Environment Impact Assessment Notification dated: 14.09.2006 and Amendment dated: 01.12.2009, the project Proponent has to obtain prior Environmental Clearance from the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Government of India and is required to go through Environmental Public Hearing process. As per the Terms of Reference letter No. IA-J-11011/69/2021-IA-II (I) dated: 11-03-2021 and request letter of the project proponent dated: 26.07.2021 (received at Board office on 26.07.2021), the Environmental Public Hearing is being conducted by KSPCB.

The details of the project are as follows:

1.	**Name of the Company & Address: M/s. VINP Distilleries and Sugars Pvt Ltd** Konanakere Village, Shiggaon Taluk, Haveri District, Karnataka
2.	**Location of the Proposed Project:** Sy. 42,43 and 53 at Konanakere Village, Shiggaon Taluk, Haveri District, Karnataka.
3.	**Project proposed:** To establish Molasses based dual feed distillery of capacity 300 KLD with 3500 TCD Sugar Plant, 10 MW Co-generation plant and 4 MW Power Generation from incineration boiler
4.	**Date, time and venue of public hearing: Date: 17.09.2021 (Friday) Time: 11:00 a.m. Place: Project Site, M/s. VINP Distilleries and Sugars Pvt Ltd** Konanakere Village, Shiggaon Taluk, Haveri District, Karnataka
5.	**Places of availability of project documents as per EIA Notification, which is kept open to public are:** (a) Office of the Deputy Commissioner, Haveri District, Haveri. (b) Chief Executive Officer, Zilla Panchayat, Haveri. (c) District Industries Centre, Haveri District. (d) Office of the Regional Officer, Regional Office, Karnataka State Pollution Control Board, Haveri. (e) Gram Panchayath, Konanakere Village. (f) Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change South Zone Office, E-3/240, Kendriya Sadan, 4th Floor, E&F Wings, 17th Main Road, 2nd Block, Koramangala, Bengaluru–560 034. (g) **HELP DESK,** Karnataka State Pollution Control Board, Ground Floor, No.49, Parisara Bhavan, Church Street, Bengaluru – 560 001.

NOTE: Suggestions, views, comments and objections of interested bonafide residents, environmental groups and others located at project site and likely to be affected by the proposed project are invited within 30 days from the date of publication of this Notification to make oral/written/E-Mail suggestions to the Karnataka State Pollution Control Board/ Chairman, Environmental Public Hearing Committee (Deputy Commissioner, Haveri District)Interested public can participate in the Public Hearing at the above place. **For details please visit our Website:http://kspcb.karnataka.gov.in.**

Sd/-
Member Secretary

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Corporate Identification No. : U40109PB2010SGC033813, Website : www.pspcl.in
Contact No. 96461-18773

Tender Enquiry No QQ-2319/PO-P

Chief Purchase Officer / MM, Central Purchase Organization, PSPCL, 2nd Floor, Multistorey Building, The Mall, Patiala, invites E-Tender for Procurement of 800 MT (Metric Tonne) Galvanized stranded steel wire Grade-5 size 7/3.15mm bearing ISI/PQM mark having tensile strength 45 Kg per mm² conforming to IS:2141 (with latest amendments, if any) and Galvanizing by hot dipped process as per IS:4826 (with latest amendments, if any) applicable to heavily coated wire against PSPCL Tender Enquiry QQ-2319/PO-P. For detailed NIT & tender specification please refer to **https://eproc.punjab.gov.in from 13.08.2021 onwards.**

Note: Corrigendum and addendum, if any will be published online at **https://eproc.punjab.gov.in**

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KARNATAKA POWER CORPORATION LIMITED
CIN : U85110KA1970SGC001919
KALINADI HYDRO ELECTRIC PROJECT

No: KPCL/2021-22/EL/WORK_INDENT11536 Date: 09.08.2021

Abstract Bid Notification (Through e-procurement portal)

Sealed bids are invited from reputed bidders with proven track record of successful completion of similar nature of works for through Gok e-portal **https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in** for **Rewinding of 180kW/240HP Jyothy make VT Pump motor at Kodasalli Power House.** Amount put to the tender: **Rs.3,60,436/-.** Period of completion: **Six weeks from date of work order.** Last date & time for tender queries & clarifications: **24.08.2021 17:00 PM.** Online submission of tenders: **30.08.2021 17:00 PM.** Opening of technical bid (Cover-I): **01.09.2021 10:30 AM.** Opening of financial bid (Cover-II): **Will be intimated later.** The details of NIT & tender documents may be downloaded from GOK e-Procurement website: **https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in.** Further details can be had from **The Executive Engineer (O&M) Kodasalli, KPCL, Kadra - 581396, Uttar Kannada (Dist), Karnataka. Ph No : 08382 – 256344, Mob: 9449599143, E-mail: kslyee3kpcl@gmail.com/seekadrakpcl@yahoo.in.**

SBI RACC, Nelamangala (63028), First Floor, Paramanna Layout Branch, Post Office Road, Nelamangala - 562 123 Email: racc63028.fimmban@sbi.co.in

DEMAND NOTICE

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 13 (2) OF SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT 2002 (hereinafter called 'Act ')

Name and Address of the Borrower/Guarantor: Mrs. Manu Smrithi Rao, W/o. Indusekhar Raju Digala, 9-1, Lingeshwar Nagar Colony, Avilala, Near Bairagipettada, Tirupati-517501 Ph. : 61410993495 At your request, Bank has granted credit facilities, against secured assets through its **Thyamagondlu Branch**. The relevant particulars of the property on which you have created security interest by execution of security agreement / documents & creation of mortgage by way of deposit of title deeds are also furnished hereunder. As the operation and conduct of the financial assistance / credit facilities have become irregular, the debt has been classified as Non-performing Asset (NPA) in accordance with the directives / guidelines issued by Reserve Bank of India, consequent to the default by the borrower in repayment of the principal debt and interest thereon. As the Demand Notice sent by Register AD calling upon you, was un-surved / not acknowledged, therefore, this notice is now issued / published.

Description of the Schedule Property : All the piece and parcel of the residential plot bearing No. 11, E-Swattu No. 15020010230012046 formed in Sy. No. 7/1, measuring N-S: 15 Mtrs. & E-W: 9 Mtrs. total area of 135 sq. Mtrs in the layout of **Manar Pure Earth** situated at Sarjapura Village, Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore and **Bounded by:** East: Site No.32, West: Road, North: Site No. 12, South: Site N. 10.

A/c.No. : Housing Loan - 39995654408 | **Total Due:Rs.1,02,73,247/- (Rupees One Crore Two Lakh Seventy Three Thousand Two Hundred Forty Seven Only)** as on 07.06.2021+interest and other charges | **NPA Date :** 05.06.2021 | **Demand Notice Date:** 07.06.2021

If you fail to repay the aforesaid sum with interest and incidental expenses within 60 days from the date of this notice, Bank will exercise all or any of the rights detailed under sub section (4) of the section 13 of the SARFAESI Act. You are also put on notice that in terms of sub section 13 of section 13, you shall not transfer by sale, lease or otherwise the said secured assets detailed above without obtaining prior written consent of the Bank. This notice is without prejudice to the Bank's rights to initiate such other actions or legal proceedings as it deem necessary under any other applicable Provisions of Law.

Place : Nelamangala **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Date : 16.08.2021 **State Bank of India**

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(A Government of Karnataka Enterprises)
Office of the Executive Engineer, KNNL, Shiggaon Lift Irrigation Division, K.C.D. Circle, Behind Ganapati Temple, Dasanakoppa Main Road, Dharwad-580 001. Ph No. 0836-2461218
E-mail id: eesliddwd@gmail.com

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NOTIFICATION FOR QUOTATION RATES

On behalf of the Managing Director, KNNL, Bengaluru, Quotations are invited from authorised agencies by the undersigned, for the work ***"Consultancy Services for survey, investigation, preparation of preliminary designs,drawings, estimates, detailed project report of (i) Construction of bridges in Sirsi and Siddapura Taluk (ii) Improvement of canals under MI tanks in Mundgod taluk of Uttarkannada District"*** for preparation of Estimate, (Non SR Items). The details of items can be obtained through E-mail/office and Sealed quotations shall be submitted to above mentioned address up to **21-08-2021, 4.00 p.m.** through post/personally. (Quotation is restricted for preparation of estimation purpose only)

The undersigned reserves the right to postpone, accept, reject any or all the quotations without assigning any reason whatsoever.

Sd/- (S.K. Kulkarni)
Executive Engineer, KNNL,
DIPR/DWD/MCA/425/2021-22 **SLI DIVISION, DHARWAD**

City Corporation Office, Davanagere.
No.: DCC:EE1:E.Tender:16:2021-22 Date: 13.08.2021

Tender Notice
(Through e-Procurement Portal)

Tender is invited in single/double cover system through e-procurement portal for 01 work – under General Basic Grant of 15th Finance Commission for the year 2018-19 (2nd Call), 01 work – under General Basic Grant of 14th Finance Commission for the year 2020-21 (2nd Call), 02 works – under Palike General Fund for the year 2020-21 (2nd Call), 32 works – under Palike General Fund for the year 2020-21, 38 works – under Palike General Fund for the year 2021-22 – Total 74 Nos. of works. Eligible Contractors/Agencies/Suppliers can participate through e-procurement portal website www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in Further details can be obtained through website of Mahanagara Palike www.davanagerecity.mrc.gov.in and e-procurement helpline phone nos.: +91-80 46010000, +91-80 68948777. (1) Last date and time for obtaining information regarding the tender: 03.09.2021, 16.30 hrs. (2) Last date and time for submission of tender: : 03.09.2021, 17.00 hrs. (2) Date and time of opening Tender: 06.09.2021, 11.00 hrs.

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WE HUMAN BEINGS OFTEN REFER TO OURSELVES AS CREATURES OF HABIT. BUT WHAT WE TEND TO FORGET IS THAT WE, FIRST AND FOREMOST, ARE THE PRODUCTS OF NATURE

THIS NEW WAY OF LIVING COULD CHANGE YOUR LIFE

Luke Coutinho
Lifestyle coach and author

We as human beings often refer to ourselves as creatures of habit. But what we forget is that we, first and foremost, are the products of nature. The only way for us to thrive and live an abundant and holistic life is to live according to the cycles of nature.

Believe it or not, social media today is fooling and brainwashing us to believe that we need to live a particular way to be successful. To skimp on sleep to be successful, to down some tall shots of caffeine, to work through the night to achieve our targets and whatnot. It isn't surprising that human beings are the only species that sacrifice health and sleep to live and achieve more. In a bid to determine our success by our designations, the paycheck we earn, the cars we drive, the clothes we wear, and the exotic vacations we take — we have failed to realise that we are disrupting the flow of our biological clock. Everything happens according to the pace of nature. If we move too fast and compete with nature, it can slow us down. And many times, it does so by hampering our immunity.

Our unique bodies were built intelligently and designed to work according to something called the circadian rhythm. In simple words, this is a sleep-wake or the day-night cycle. It is an intelligence that generates different feelings — wakefulness and sleepiness, hunger, and satiety during a 24-hour cycle.

Everything we do — right from how we sleep, eat, digest and secrete certain hormones, to bowel movements and detoxification — works according to this circadian rhythm. It is the rhythm that determines how our body carries out different processes during different times.

If you have ever pulled an all-nighter, worked a late-night shift, or traveled across time zones, you know the consequences of disrupting this biological clock. It affects your body right from eating, causing irregular bowel movements to disturbing sleep patterns.

When we challenge the laws of nature and go against the circadian rhythm that governs thousands of functions in the human body at a cellular level, even the best fitness plans, treatment, pills, doctors, nutritionists, spiritual healers, or yoga experts become meaningless.

Let me illustrate this with an anecdote. A couple of years ago, a lady in her 40s walked into my office for a consultation. My approach to helping her improve was to change her rhythm. She would sleep at midnight and work out at 7 pm. We decided to shift her sleep time to 10 pm and workout time to 7 am. While she did take some time to adjust, she settled in by the fifth day. Within a week, her health changed drastically. This was made possible by her own body and its intelligence. No superfood, no magic pill. Just by following the circadian rhythm.

This is just one among thousands of examples that proves how the only way forward for us is to align ourselves with the laws of nature. Look at it this way. You can knead the best dough in the world, but if the environment of the oven is poor, damp, or has the wrong temperature, that bread will not bake or rise. Similarly, our internal and external environments play a massive role in our well-being. Imagine giving a person the best medicines and lifestyle changes but putting them in a toxic, unhealthy, dirty, non-supportive, lonely and damp environment. That possibly cannot help them improve or thrive.

Only when we combine the magic of the circadian rhythm with balanced nutrition, adequate exercise, quality sleep, emotional detox, and medicine, do we give ourselves the chance to experience the true magic of prevention, healing, and recovery.

In my decade-old career, my team has dealt with end-of-life patients, those with terminal illnesses like cancers, rare syndromes, and hormone disorders, among others. The one thing that has worked powerfully for them over and above their medication and treatment is our ability to coach them into aligning their lives and lifestyles to the circadian rhythm. When we put our patients into the circadian rhythm cycle, their body's intelligence kicks in. It works, repairs, identifies, and fixes.

The New Way of Living as I call the circadian rhythm doesn't mean you need to stop having fun. You can have a flourishing social life and still follow it. To be honest, this new way of living isn't even new. It is how we were designed to live.

Generation after generation has lived in tune with nature, socialised, sang its hearts out, celebrated rituals and festivities, and led healthy and happy lives. You can do it too!

All you need to learn is how it works and how to adopt it.

How does the circadian rhythm work?

The hypothalamus of your brain has a master clock that controls all the other clocks in your body, including your circadian rhythm. It is called the Suprachiasmatic Nucleus (SCN).

From simple to complex functions like energy levels, quality of sleep, emotions, regulation of the heartbeat, blood pressure, sugar levels, digestive system activity, immune system, body temperature, weight, and much more — SCN controls everything.

To put it simply, Suprachiasmatic Nucleus (SCN) works like a pacemaker to control the circadian rhythm. If it stops working, your body will be in chaos.

How does SCN function? It responds to light or day and dark or night. Its main role is to send signals to regulate the functions in our body.

When light hits SCN, it signals the parts of the body to activate or deactivate different functions. So when there are fluctuations in light and dark, due to sleeping at wrong times, exposure to bright lights at night, traveling across time zones, there is confusion in the body. Certain functions may get activated and deactivated at inappropriate times.

Scientific experiments have proved how human beings in dark rooms for 24 to 48 hours lose the sense of everything because the biological clock (and everything connected with it) cannot work without light. Studies connect messed-up biological clocks to chronic health issues, inflammation, high blood pressure, low immunity, and poor emotional well-being.

Remember, any good diet, exercise plan, yoga, pranayama, chanting, and other practices are superficial if they do not follow a system.

Which factors upset your biological clock?

They include an array of improper lifestyle shifts. Here are a few that directly affect your biological clock:

- Night shifts
- Jet lag
- Long and frequent traveling
- Stimulants such as caffeine, tobacco, alcohol, drugs or social media
- Hormonal changes during menopause or pregnancy
- Overexposure to artificial/blue light after sunset
- Frequent changes in sleep, meal, and workout routines

Simple tips to help you reset your circadian rhythm

If your big question is — does it cost money to live and follow the circadian way? No, absolutely not.

You can achieve it by working with nature and the circadian rhythm. The change you experience will be immediate. Your energy levels will soar, you will sleep better, your digestion and water retention will improve too. Imagine waking up with a flatter stomach without bloating, having radiant and clear skin, and fewer cravings! The benefits go beyond this.

AMIT BANDRE

SOME SIMPLE LIFESTYLE CHANGES YOU CAN MAKE TO ADOPT THE CIRCADIAN RHYTHM WAY OF LIVING

1 Eating Right and Circadian Fasting

- Adopt a rainbow-coloured plate with the right balance of vegetables (starchy and non-starchy), fruits, proteins (animal or plant-based), and carbohydrates (grains and cereals).
- Eat your last meal of the day close to sunset (7 pm). You can then follow a circadian fast (dry or intermittent, whatever suits you) through the night. Break it after the sun rises the next day with water or lemon water and dates or fruits. This is the most natural and effortless way of fasting.
- Keep a two or three-hour gap between dinner and bedtime.
- Need coffee? Have it three hours after waking up. Don't consume coffee in the second half of the day. It is a stimulant that hampers your sleep routine.
- Keep your maximum calorie intake between breakfast and lunch, your metabolism is at its peak to process these. Make your dinners the lightest meal, as your body slows down and moves into a rest and recovery mode.
- Not feeling hungry by dinner time, but need to eat early? Listen to your body, and eat how much ever you can. Don't starve or stuff yourself. You can always eat a little early the next morning.
- Eat at the same time every day. Remember, timing is the key factor for circadian rhythm synchronisation

2 Engaging in adequate exercise

- Don't overtrain or follow an intense workout close to bedtime.
- Engage in a regular regime and work out around the same time every day. Your body and muscles have a memory. Feed it the right way.
- Identify the time of day that suits you. Are you a morning person or an evening person when it comes to exercise? Identify and stick to it.
- Yes, your body is resilient. So it can take a couple of late nights. But making it a habit will make you reach a breaking point.
- Want to live according to the circadian rhythm? Try to sleep at the same time every night, whether it is 9 pm, 10 pm or 11 pm. The earlier, the better.
- Try to wake up with the sunrise. Maintain the same time through Monday to Friday at least.

3 Fixing sleep and wake-up time

4 Limiting exposure to blue light

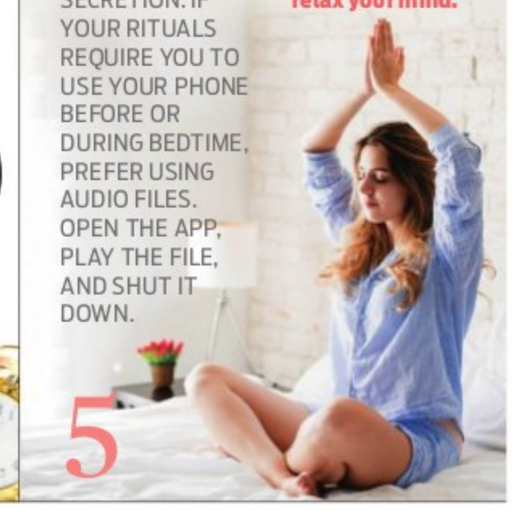
- Need to work after sunset or late at night? Wear blue blocker glasses to filter out the blue light, when looking at the screen.
- Use in-built features on your phones, where the backlight automatically switches to a dimmer one and turns a little yellow in response to sunset.

5 Follow pre-bedtime rituals

DISCONNECT FROM BLUE OR ARTIFICIAL LIGHT AT LEAST ONE TO TWO HOURS BEFORE BED. THEY SUPPRESS YOUR MELATONIN (SLEEP HORMONE) SECRETION. IF YOUR RITUALS REQUIRE YOU TO USE YOUR PHONE BEFORE OR DURING BEDTIME, PREFER USING AUDIO FILES. OPEN THE APP, PLAY THE FILE, AND SHUT IT DOWN.

Make your bedroom as dark as possible. Sleep is a very light-sensitive process. Darkness stimulates melatonin and brightness suppresses it.

Offer gratitude, pray, meditate, chant, or recite affirmations to ward off any negative thoughts and relax your mind.

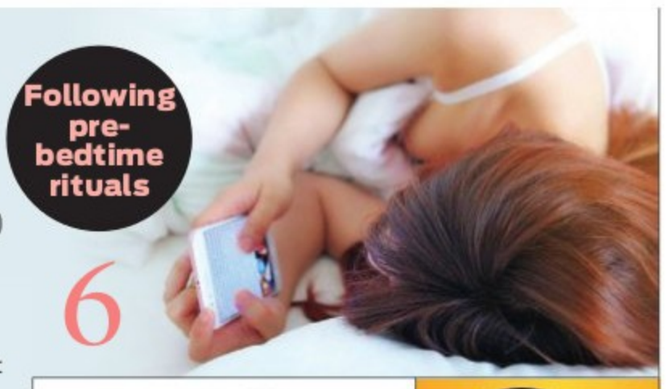


6 Following pre-bedtime rituals

AVOID USING YOUR PHONES AND SCROLLING SOCIAL MEDIA FOR AT LEAST ONE TO TWO HOURS AFTER WAKING UP.

If your meditation and workout apps are on your phone, and you have to look at them, then use the first hour after waking up to perform all other morning rituals like, oil pulling, pooping, brushing, before opening your phone. Avoid prolonged exposure to blue light. Use audio files, if possible.

Avoid eating before sunrise. Your metabolic fire wakes up with the sunrise and is at its highest at noon. So have a good lunch.



7 Pooping early in the morning

- While you sleep, your body begins the process of detoxification. This accumulates waste products in your colon. When you follow the circadian rhythm and wake up in the morning with natural light, your bowel movement opens up.
- Try to clean your bowels first thing after waking up. Clean yourself inside out first, before you begin your day.

8 Adequate exposure to sunlight

- Once you have passed your bowels and brushed your teeth, open the curtains and allow natural light to hit your eyes. This will help you reset your circadian rhythm. This also suppresses melatonin, so you get the energy to seize the day.
- If you have access to a garden, terrace, or veranda, look out, blink, open up your eyes, and absorb natural light. Exposing ourselves to nature in the morning increases our serotonin (the feel-good hormone), and uplifts our mood.

9 Dealing with energy slumps

EXPERIENCING AN ENERGY SLUMP DURING THE DAY DESPITE LIVING BY THE CIRCADIAN RHYTHM? HERE'S A WORD OF ADVICE. REST.

It is completely normal because our biological clocks cannot run all the time. They take a break sometimes, too.

Remember, the circadian rhythm is built by the biggest experts of all — nature. Even if you find it difficult to follow and unsuitable to likes and dislikes, take away what you can from it, and build your lifestyle. Times may change, but our bodies and the way they function remains the same. So do the fundamentals and principles of nature.

FIVE DAYS

Are you willing to practice this five days a week and notice a change?

Here's wishing you good health, happiness, and abundant life in tune with nature.

Download Luke Coutinho's free ebook on the subject here: http://bit.do/Circadian-Rhythm

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Title of Shivanna's next film revealed

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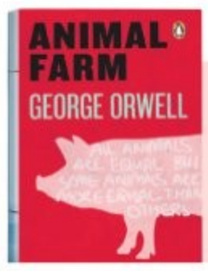


Book release

Animal Farm, an allegorical novella by George Orwell, was first published in England on this day in 1945. It reflects the events of the Russian revolution of 1917

PLOT

It is a story of a group of farm animals who rebel against their human farmer, hoping to create a free society. The rebellion is betrayed, and the farm ends up being as bad as it was before

RECOGNITION

Animal Farm has been named one of the 100 best English-language novels by *Time* magazine. It won a Hugo Award and was included in the Great Books of the Western World selection

TRANSLATIONS

Orwell originally called his book *Animal Farm: A Fairy Story*, but the subtitle was dropped by American publishers in 1946. It has been translated in over 100 languages

In a tell-all book, writer Vir Sanghvi, who will be in Bengaluru on Wednesday, turns the gaze on himself, recounting memories from his childhood days and college years, while also giving an insider's perspective on the politics and glamour of those times

PRIVATE LIFE, PUBLIC MUSINGS

ANILA KURIAN

VIR SANGHVI seems very content these days. With the release of his latest book, *A Rude Life: The Memoir*, which has become the talk of the town, Sanghvi now feels he's done it all and is ready to hang up his boots. "Before the age of 50, I've done everything I should have done as part of my career. I am no longer moved by small goals. I take each day as it comes," says Sanghvi, whose book gives us an insider's view into the politics and glamour of that time.

But he's enjoying the adulation as long as it lasts. In the city to attend 'Telling it like it is' at the Bangalore International Centre, on August 18, Sanghvi's memoir happened quite by chance. "During the first lockdown in March 2020, I had more than enough time on hand to write a couple of hours every day. Everyone was anyway trying to figure how Zoom works, so I thought I might as well do something more meaningful," he says, adding that by the time he reached chapter 60, he ran out of steam. "If there was no lockdown, there wouldn't have been a book either," he says with a laugh.

A Rude Life: The Memoir shares stories about his childhood, college years, some of the interactions he's had with prominent political and cultural figures celebrities like the Clintons, the Gandhis, Beatle George Harrison, Raj Kapoor and Amitabh Bachchan, to name a few. "I'm not the research kind of person. A lot of journalists keep clippings of their work – I don't have any of that. So everything I wrote in the book was from memory. Honestly, there isn't much available before the digital era to refer online anyway – they were never archived. So, my memory was the only thing to rely upon," Sanghvi says.

When Sanghvi decided to write the memoir, he had decided to keep it "good-natured", not wanting to be passive-aggressive through the book. "The entire country was under lockdown and needed some cheer. I did leave out some things in the book to keep it positive," he says.

He's received some rave remarks about the book, which "astonishes" him. "I thought it might have a limited audience, maybe some people interested in journalism would read it. But I never thought it'll become a bestseller," he says.

While it may seem that Sanghvi has shared his personal, professional life and everything in between, however, he's carefully kept his personal life private. "I never talk about my personal life, so I wouldn't write about it either," he says.

I'm not the research kind of person. I don't have any clippings of my work. So everything I wrote is from memory -Vir Sanghvi, writer

CITY CONNECT

Vir Sanghvi has been a regular visitor of Bengaluru since 1983 and has seen the city change from being sleepy and quiet to becoming the traffic-jam capital that it is now. Bengaluru Oota Company, Manu Chandra's restaurants, Olive Beach and Toast & Tonic, and the ever-famous Karavalli for chef Naren Thimmaiah's Mangaluru cuisine, are his top restaurant picks.

THE big film of the era, the one that everyone was talking about was Satyam Shivam Sundaram, a big-budget blockbuster being made (largely in secret) by Raj Kapoor, the great movie mogul who was the darling of the film trade after the superhit Bobby which he had made after a series of flops.

The interest peaked when photos from the shoot location were leaked. They showed the heroine, Zeenat Aman, wearing blouses that revealed much more of her bosom than had ever been shown before in Hindi cinema. Raj Kapoor got angry, sued the publication that had run the pictures and the film became the subject of even more public interest.

So, here was my idea. Time had done a story on the American director Stanley Kubrick while he was shooting Barry Lyndon. It was called 'Kubrick's grandest gamble.'

I took the issue to Aroon and suggested that we do the same sort of story on Raj Kapoor. If Time could do it, why couldn't India Today? I knew how Aroon's mind worked by then and reckoned that the Time parallel would do the trick. It did.

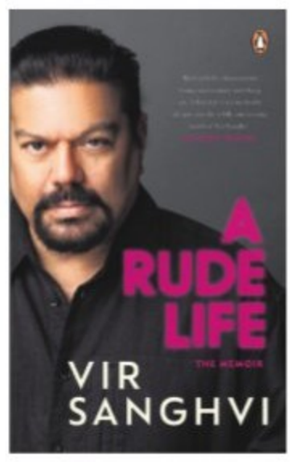
I got the go-ahead. But as Aroon pointed out, Raj Kapoor had not spoken to anyone. Why would he speak to us?

'Because of you, Aroon,' I said and saw him wince.

There was a backstory to this. Long before he moved to Delhi, V.V. Purie, Aroon's father, had been a film financer. He had financed most of Raj Kapoor's films till he gave up on the film finance business in the sixties. Raj Kapoor, I argued, could not say no to the Puries. Aroon was sceptical but saw the point. He spoke to his father and to Mohini Bhullar and our Raj Kapoor chase began. It was a frustrating experience because, in that pre-mobile phone era, Raj Kapoor was never available. He was always out shooting. (This was true. But he could have called back)

Finally, with our deadline approaching, we had to think of a plan B. I suggested that we do a cover story on Zeenat Aman instead. She was the hottest heroine in Bollywood and was currently shooting in Bangalore with Rex Harrison for an international film called Shalimar. (You may not have heard of it though; it would easily win a place on any list of the Worst Films Ever Made.)

This time, I took the initiative. I called the Ashoka hotel in Bangalore where Zeenat was staying. It took only two tries and she took my call. Yes, she said. She would do an interview. But how? She had no plans to return to Bombay.



I would fly to Bangalore, I told her.

'Really? Just to interview me?' she asked, delightedly. 'Yes. Just for you.'

It is a measure of how badly off the media were in those days that the notion that a journalist would fly to Bangalore just for an interview (with the film producer not paying for the ticket) was so startling. But Aroon recognized that good journalism cost money. So I flew to Bangalore and spent two days at the Ashoka interviewing Zeenat - who, by the way, was lovely and charming.

I got back to Bombay, thrilled that we had a story only to discover that V.V. Purie had finally got through to Raj Kapoor and he had agreed to not only do the story but also to give us stills from the movie.

Excerpted from 'A Rude Life: The Memoir' by Vir Sanghvi with permission from Penguin Random House.

'It was frustrating because Raj Kapoor was never available'

STARTUP WATCH

BACKSTORY
Proactive For Her is a Bengaluru-based health-tech startup which was founded in August 2020 by Achitha Jacob, an alumna of IIT-Mumbai. Its aim is to empower women to learn about their sexual and reproductive health in a holistic manner. The startup offers accessible, confidential and personalised healthcare solutions with access to various healthcare experts.

FINANCE FUNDA
The startup has raised $1.2 million in pre-seed round by Nexus Venture Partners.

USP
The startup offers three main services, including the Digital Health Clinic, which helps schedule consultations with an array of specialists associated with their area of concern; health coaching for women that gives coaching to understand medical conditions like PCOS, vaginismus among others, and diagnostics to provide diagnostic reports, and free doctor consultations for STI patients. It also offers solution- specific clinics for sexual health, hair and skin, PCOS, menstrual health and much more.

TARGET AUDIENCE
So far, the startup has engaged with over 5,000 women through their tele-consultation services, webinars, health studios and other community building events.

Achitha Jacob

CITY READ

Ladies Circle India distributes sanitary pads to pourakarmikas

The Ladies Circle India (LCI) has partnered with Tangent Club to distribute sanitary pads to over 800 pourakarmikas of Mahadevpura, KR Puram and Indiranagar wards in Bengaluru. The aim is to increase awareness related to menstrual hygiene and support the health needs of frontline BBMP workers.

City college principal gets national award

Fr. Victor Lobo, principal, St.Joseph's College (Autonomous) has been selected for the prestigious national award for the 'Best Principal of the Year 2020 – 2021'. This award is given in recognition of his educational leadership towards academic excellence, participation in the introduction of educational innovations, and commitment to high standards.

Organ donation pledge programme

Aster CMI Hospital, in association with Aster Volunteers, organised 'Organ Donation Pledge Program', recently. Doctors, nurses and staff from the hospital came forward to pledge their organs.

Swinging high

Back from the 2020 Tokyo Olympics where she made the world sit up and take notice of a game that is otherwise sidelined, B'luru girl Aditi Ashok is oozing with confidence that the sporting event has given her

ASHIM SUNAM

ON the morning of August 7, there was something unusual on social media. Indian Twitterati was constantly talking golf, a sport that is hardly popular in India. The mood was palpable. It was Aditi Ashok, who made people sit up and take notice as the seeds of a medal at the Tokyo Olympics were sown by the Bengaluru golfer. However, she did come agonisingly close and finished fourth.

So many eyes on the tele, despite being around 6,000 km away from the action unfurling at the Kasumigaseki Country Club in Tokyo, was an achievement in itself. For those few hours, everyone was backing Aditi and the sport. It would not be wrong to say that many were learning about the sport on that very day. "I heard about it – that was the most amazing part of my playing well. I did not know that so many people would get up and watch golf and understand it just because I had a chance of a medal," Aditi tells us upon her return.

"In a country like India, where golf is not popular and the golfing community is small – to have so many people who want to learn about the sport is great. It always feels wonderful to play well, but this was an added bonus, which I never thought would happen. But I am very thankful for all that support."

Her performance in the Olympics was top-notch. In the 2016 Rio Olympics, where she was the youngest golfer, Aditi finished 41st, but she carried that experience to Tokyo and surprised many. Before the start of the Olympics, not many thought her to be in the same league as that of other Olympic medal hopefuls from the country.

Now, I don't have to wonder if I can play with the best. I know I did it in the Olympics, and I have that experience of finishing fourth

- Aditi Ashok

Meanwhile, participating on the big stage during a pandemic and getting rid of pressure was no easy task. However, Aditi managed to stay away from thinking about the magnitude of the competition. "I just wanted to take one hole at a time. The simple thing to do is hitting the fairway, green and making the putt. That helped me," says Aditi.

In fact, she was in the top three for all three days, but after the fourth round, she finished fourth. However, it was a positive result, considering the golfers on show. The top ranked golfers of the world were in action, including world number 1, Nelly Korda, who eventually won a gold, and all the three medallists of the Rio Olympics. Aditi, who ranked 200 in women's golf, was pleased with the way she performed against the big names in women's golf. "The fact that I could contend with top players – world number 1 and past medallists – was in itself good. It wasn't just about competing with them or playing as a part of the field. It was about being on a level-playing field on all four days with such big names. Game-wise too, there were a lot of positives... the course was kind of long for me but I still managed it well. I stayed patient and took advantage of the holes where I could and I made sure I kept the mistakes to a minimum on the holes where I could," she says.

There was an element of confidence in Aditi's voice as well, and why not! Aditi, who is a regular in the Ladies European Tour (LET) and the Ladies Professional Golf Association (LPGA), has made India proud with her Tokyo display and is looking to bring further laurels to the country in the coming years. She already has three LET titles, but has her eyes on the LPGA success too. "So it was in Tokyo that I showed that I can play at that level and compete with the top golfers. That gives me the confidence of going into regular LPGA events, where I do not have to wonder if I can play with the best in the world. I know that I did it at the Olympics, and I have that experience of finishing fourth," says Aditi, who could not take her Tokyo form to the Scottish Open, where she did not make the cut over the weekend.

(With inputs from Sanath Prasad)

OPEN MIC NIGHT

Showcase your talent as FrontRow presents daily online Open Mic on Zoom.
When: Ongoing
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CALLIGRAPHY WORKSHOP

Rachna Takawale will be teaching her first-ever Copperplate Calligraphy Workshop. She will share her knowledge on the rules and tricks of traditional calligraphy in depth.
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Details: allevents.com

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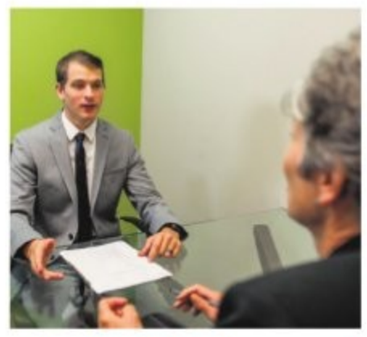
This class is ideal for all age groups. Learn to read fast and improve your reading speed with drills and exercises. The event has been organised by Irisreading.com.
When: August 17
Details: eventbrite.com



JOB HUNT

Learn the best job, search secrets to effectively finding, landing and thriving at your dream job. The workshop has seen many successes as it teaches one how one can fix their mistakes in order to better themselves.
When August 18
Details: aeallevents.com

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Heritage Reflections

The Grand Mercure Gopalan Mall presents Heritage Reflections—the works of artist K Hiremath, who is ranked amongst the top 50 watercolour artistes in the world. The exhibition will showcase artistes works documenting his travels to three heritage sites in India and Nepal.
When: Till Aug 31
Details: 9980991645

Child's play

Raell Padamsee's Little Actors Club is a Zoom event for children between the age of 2.5 and 4 years. The kids get to understand and enact value-based playlets, simulated role-play sessions and day-to-day social interaction in a cohesive and nurturing environment.
When: August 18
Details: bookmyshow.com

Keep it clean With clay

Innisfree launches its new Volcanic Collection which includes the Volcanic Calming Pore Clay Mask (₹1,500), Volcanic Pore Mattifying Cream (₹1,700), Super Volcanic Pore Cleansing Oil (₹1,500). They also have a special edition set containing all three products at ₹1,500. **Available at:** www.innisfree.com.

Dance classes

This is an offline dance workshop that helps one to groove to the rhythms of Salsa and Bachata music forms. It also gives a glimpse into the world of Latin social dancing with the Motley Dance Company.
When: Aug 21 onwards
Details: highape.com

Martial arts

With eight sessions, learn martial arts and give your kid an exposure to build their stamina and live a healthier lifestyle.
When: August 17 **Details:** bookmyshow.com

QUICK FIX

What's cooking

IN YOUR KITCHEN?
We are hungry for recipes with minimum ingredients and maximum flavours. Share your quick-fix with us, along with step-by-step photos, at cityexpresschn@gmail.com

CHICKPEA SWEET POTATO KALE GREENS STEW

INGREDIENTS

- **Onion:** 2 ■ **Garlic:** 1 pod (optional)
- **Sweet potato:** 1 large ■ **Virgin olive oil:** 3 tbsp
- **Cumin seeds:** 2 tbsp ■ **Red chilli powder:** 2 to 3 tsp ■ **Cinnamon powder:** 1 tbsp ■ A few sprigs of thyme leaves ■ **Cooked chickpeas:** 500 g ■ **Tomato puree:** 600 ml ■ **Water:** 1.5 L
- **Kale or palak leaves:** 250 g, washed and cut coarsely. ■ **Salt** to taste ■ A few sprigs of **parsley** or **coriander leaves** coarsely chopped.

METHOD

- Heat oil in a pan and saute garlic and onion. Add cumin seeds, chilli powder and thyme leaves. Add sweet potatoes, cooked chickpeas and stir fry. Add tomato puree and water. Add salt and boil. Add the greens and cook till they are soft. Take about 2 cups of the stew and blend well.
- Pour back the blend into the stew and boil for about 5 to 7 minutes in simmer flame. Serve hot.

— N Raama Prasad, Bengaluru

SOUND BOARD

THE MUSAFIR STORIES

Want to be able to travel around the country but unable to do so? Take a tour of India via this podcast which documents Indian travel tales hosted by Saif and Faiza. The episodes of this podcast share the journey of travellers in their own words and relive their experience with you.

- On Google Podcast

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Stephen Dubner, the co-author of Freakonomics, and Angela Duckworth, the author of Grit believe that there is no such thing as a stupid question and so they have created this podcast where they come together every week to ask each other as many stupid questions as they want. This podcast is a production of the Freakonomics Radio Network.

- On Google Podcast

STORY CORPS

This podcast is a series of candid, unscripted conversations between two people about what they consider to be important in life - love, loss, family, or friendship. This podcast by NPR reminds people of the things that matter in times when it seems the world is out of hand.

- On Google Podcast

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Kwik Brain by Jim Kwik is a fun, fast-paced show that is designed for people leading a busy life to learn and achieve anything in a fraction of time. Jim Kwik is the brain and memory trainer to elite mental performers and also to many leading CEO and celebrities.

- On Google Podcast

POPULAR ON YOUTUBE

FACE 2 FACE

Preethi and Santosh are in love but due to a strange incident that happens with Preethi, everything changes around them. Sneha is a woman who has just applied for a divorce from her husband. Santosh tries to win his love with the help of Sneha.
Cast: Rohith Bhanuprakash, Divya Uruduga, Purvi Joshi

POGARU

Shiva is a young man who struggles to get back his own mother and dislikes his stepfather. Growing up, he becomes a local thug and stands up against the cruelty that is performed on common people and helps to secure justice for them.
Cast: Dhruva Sarja, Rashmika Mandanna, Kai Greene

BAZAAR

Kalki is an orphan who desires to become a champion in the world of pigeon racing. Parijatha is a fashion designer and hails from a middle-class family. Kalki falls in love with Parijatha and tries to win her. Over the course of time, he not only wins the pigeon race but also his love. However, as everything seems to be just fine, their contrasting family backgrounds make things difficult.
Cast: Dhanveer Gowda, Aditi Prabhudeva, Sharath Lohitashwa

Scan this QR code to find out how your favourite celebs are coping with the lockdown.

WHAT'S ON TED TALKS

1 DON'T CALL PEOPLE OUT, CALL THEM IN
BY LORETTA J ROSS

In this bold, actionable talk, Ross gives us a toolkit for starting productive conversations instead of fights — what she calls a "call-in culture" — and shares strategies that help challenge wrongdoing.

2 REMEMBERING CLIMATE CHANGE. A MESSAGE FROM THE YEAR 2071
BY KIM STANLEY ROBINSON

Coming to us from 50 years in the future, sci-fi writer Kim Stanley Robinson tells the "history" of how humanity ended the climate crisis.

3 THE IMPORTANCE OF DIVERSITY IN THE COMIC BOOK UNIVERSE
BY SANA AMANAT

In this inspiring talk, Sana discusses the encouraging results of that editorial mission — and stresses the importance of diversity in a medium that serves a decidedly heterogeneous readership.

4 AN INTERACTIVE MAP TO TRACK AND END POLLUTION IN CHINA
BY MA JUN

China has pledged to be carbon neutral by 2060 and its citizens are helping industries across the country reach that goal. Ma Jun explains.

5 THE TINY BALLS OF FAT THAT COULD REVOLUTIONISE MEDICINE
BY KATHRIN AWHITEHEAD

What if you were holding life-saving medicine but had no way to administer it? Zoom down to the nano level with engineer Kathryn A Whitehead as she gives a breakdown of the little fatty balls.

FIT BIT

SALAMBA BHUJANGASANA

(SPHINX POSE)

In Sanskrit, 'salamba' means supported, 'bhujanga' means cobra and 'asana' means pose. This beginner pose is a modification of Bhujangasana (cobra pose), and can be a good alternative for people who have lower back trouble. It invigorates the body, soothes the nervous system and is therapeutic for fatigue. It is a preparatory pose for deeper backbends. It is also a gentle heart opener. It stimulates the Anahata (heart) Chakra, located at the heart centre, which helps to increase self-love, alleviate depression and support a more positive outlook towards life.

STEPS

- Lie down in a prone position with forehead resting on the floor.
- Lift your head placing the chin to the floor.
- Bring your hands forward placing the forearms beside the head.
- Align the elbows underneath the shoulder. Inhale, pressing the forearms to the floor lift the chin, chest, abdomen off the floor.
- Arch the neck taking the ears away from the shoulders. Stretch the legs outwards, and keep breathing.
- You can stay in the pose for 5-10 breaths, fixing the gaze upwards.
- Exhale, bring the chest, abdomen, and forehead to the floor.
- Extend the arms over the head and relax in Savasana.
- Repeat once more if possible and relax.

BENEFITS

- Increases spinal flexibility, opens the chest and shoulders and strengthens the spine.
- Increases the firmness of buttocks and improves flexibility of hip joints.
- Abdominal stretch massages the internal organs. The stretch in the chest stimulates the lungs and increases breathing capacity.
- Enhances blood flow to the cells and maintains heart rate.
- Stimulates adrenal and thyroid gland. Regulates the secretion of hormones and maintains the endocrine system.

LIMITATIONS

- If you have an injury in any part of the spine or have stiff back they should take it slow or better still, avoid it. Or it can be practiced against a wall while standing.
- Pregnant women should avoid this pose.
- Those who have issues related to their neck or have spondylitis should keep the neck relaxed and even look down keeping the chin close to the chest. If there is any discomfort, discontinue the practice.

— by N Elumalai, PhD scholar (Yoga Science) at Meenakshi Academy of Higher Education & Research, Chennai

NOW STREAMING

REGIONAL

VARANE AVASHYAMUND (Malayalam)

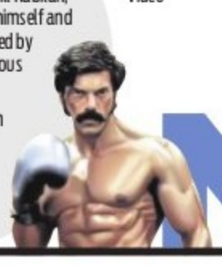
At an apartment complex, the lives of a mother, a daughter seeking an arranged marriage, a military retiree and a young man become intertwined.
Cast: Dulquer Salmaan, Shobana, Urvashi, Lal Jose
- Watch on: Netflix

YUVARATHNAA (Kannada)

Due to the privatisation of the education sector, RK College is on the verge of closing. However, the principal and a student join hands to prevent it from happening.
Cast: Puneeth Rajkumar, Sayyeeshaa Saigal, Prakash Raj
- Watch on: Amazon Prime Video

SARPATTA PARAMBARAI (Tamil)

When the Sarpatta Parambarai is challenged to a do-or-die match, will Kabilan, a young labourer, put on the gloves himself and lead his clan to victory, or be dissuaded by his disapproving mother and dangerous politics?
Cast: Arya, Santhosh Prathap, John Kokken
- Watch on: Amazon Prime Video



MUMBAI SAGA (Hindi)

Based on true events, 'Mumbai Saga' is the story of a commoner-turned-gangster Amartya Rao, whose dramatic rise in the Mumbai of nineties was marked by lawlessness, betrayal and bloody gang wars.
Cast: John Abraham, Emraan Hashmi, Suniel Shetty
- Watch on Amazon Prime Video

KHO KHO (Malayalam)

Maria Francis, an ex-athlete, sets out on a mission to form a Kho-Kho team. She has to fight not only the primordial mind-set of the villagers and the school authorities but also her own demons from the past to make this possible.
Cast; Rajisha Vijayan, Venkitesh VP, Namitha Baiju
- Watch on: Amazon Prime Video

All the streaming apps can be accessed on smartphones and smart TVs with Internet connection.

ALIDU ULIDAVARU (Kannada)

Sheelam, an agnostic, is an author and host of a top show that deals with checking whether haunted places really exist. Ahead of his 100th episode, he is thrown a challenge by a youngster who asks him to disprove that his house is haunted. What happens then?
Cast: Atul Kulkarni, Pawan Kumar, Sangeetha Bhatt
- Watch on: Amazon Prime Video

KARNAN (Tamil)

A fearless boy who, through incredible determination, commits to save the citizens of his village and fight for their rights.
Cast: Dhanush, Rahisha Vijayan, Lakshmi Priyaa Chandramouli
- Watch on: Amazon Prime Video

FOREIGN

PARASITE (Korean)

The struggling Kim family sees an opportunity when the son starts working for the wealthy Park family. Soon, all of them find a way to work within the same household and start living a parasitic life.
Cast: Cho Yeo- jeong, Park Seo- joon and Park So-dam
- Watch on: Amazon Prime Video

CRAZY RICH ASIANS (English)

Rachel Chu is happy to accompany her longtime boyfriend, Nick, to his best friend's wedding in Singapore. She's also surprised to learn that Nick's family is extremely wealthy and he's considered one of the country's most eligible bachelors. Thrust into the spotlight, Rachel must now contend with jealous socialites, quirky relatives and something far, far worse — Nick's disapproving mother.
Cast: Constance Wu, Henry Golding and Awkwafina
- Watch on: Amazon Prime Video

THE COURIER (English)

The true story of a British businessman unwittingly recruited into one of the greatest international conflicts in history. Forming an unlikely partnership with a Soviet officer hoping to prevent a nuclear confrontation, the two men work together to provide the crucial intelligence used to defuse the Cuban Missile Crisis.
Cast: Benedict Cumberbatch, Rachel Brosnahan, Jessie Buckley, Angus Wright
- Watch on: Amazon Prime Video

KISSING BOOTH (English)

A high school student finds herself face-to-face with her long-term crush when she signs up to run a kissing booth at the spring carnival.
Cast: Joey King, Jacob Elordi and Joel Courtney
- Watch on: Netflix

SUBSCRIPTION

Netflix: ₹ 199 per month
Disney+Hotstar: ₹ 399 per month
Prime Video: ₹ 129 per month
Zee 5: ₹ 99 per month

JANKIDAS MEHRA

Over the last few days, a viral forward on sportsperson and Bollywood actor Jankidas Mehra, has been doing the rounds on social media world-over. Turns out that there's a Bengaluru connect to this as it happens to be city-based Grammy award-winning musician Ricky Kej's grandfather

BLAST FROM THE PAST

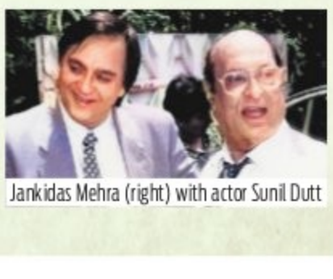
SANATH PRASAD

IF you're active on social media, there's no way to have missed a forward on 'The Bollywood actor who broke 8 cycling world records' that has been doing the rounds. Interestingly, this message about Jankidas Mehra has a Bengaluru connect. Mehra happens to be the maternal grandfather of Grammy award-winning musician Ricky Kej. As netizens wondered about Mehra's multiple achievements, Kej took to social media to clear the air.

Growing up, Kej would hear stories from his Nanaji, who, born in Lahore, started off as a cyclist and went on to be the only Indian participant in the International Olympic Squad from the British Imperial Empire in the 1936 Berlin Olympics. He also went onto establish the Indian Cycling Federation for the Olympics. Ahead of participating in the Berlin Olympics, Mahatma Gandhi met Mehra and gave him the flag of the Indian National Congress."Gandhi gifted Nanaji the flag and asked him to hoist it in foreign soil after winning," says Kej about his grandfather who passed away in 2003 in Mumbai.

After winning the gold in cycling at Berlin Olympics, Mehra for the first time, hoisted the Indian flag, gifted by Gandhi. The flag, along with a congratulatory telegram from Gandhi, is displayed at the Mahatma Gandhi National museum in New Delhi. After the incident, he was deported back to India and he was banned from cycling.

But that did not stop him. He ventured into acting and writing after his sports career came to a halt. "His first lead role as a hero was in a film called *Daulat*, directed by Sohrab Modi. The female lead was essayed by Madhubala, who was actually rejected during the auditions for the film. Nanaji and the director found her on a train to Mumbai, sobbing after she was not selected. This was the first film in which Madhubala was cast," says Kej who also adds that his grandfather's book called *My Misadventures in Filmland* has all the actors he introduced to cinema, including Meenakumari, Dharmendra among others.



Jankidas Mehra (right) with actor Sunil Dutt

Mehra went on to act in more than a 1,000 films, essaying the roles of villains, supporting characters and also introduced the designation of production design in filmmaking. He also holds the record in the Limca Book of World Records for acting in the most number of films in Indian cinema in the late '90s. "I was inseparable from my Nanaji. He was a man of knowledge, humility and humour. I've inherited some of my artistic creativity from him. I've understood the fundamentals of building something from scratch and excelling in whatever you put your mind to," says Kej.

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Hemming the way for elders towards new tech

OPEN SPACE
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ONE segment of society that has faced stiff challenges through the pandemic is the elders, especially the septuagenarians and older. And that is not so much on the medical front while avoiding Covid-19, as it is from the technological front to keep up with its manoeuvres that the young are so adept at.

Surviving Covid-19 - or ducking it completely - opens doors to the other challenge: To bring some meaning to life rather than just be cowered down and be dependent on the young to go about daily life.

The smartphone, for the elders, is something like the magic lamp. You rub it, and your genie in the form of a delivery boy appears with whatever is needed in hand.

"Why depend on the youngsters, if all you have to do is to rub the magic lamp?" is their response. "Let's do it ourselves and show these young brats what we are made of!"

Many ultra-senior citizens have taken to various gadgets that were mere figments of imagination in their heydays. They dabble with laptops, tabs and the latest, ever-more-sophisticated smartphones to explore these 'gizmos', childlike and saucer-eyed. And they master their functions.

They are discussing with the young as well as their age contemporaries about pros and cons of adopting newer technologies. Of course, there is always a grudging admission that one has to keep up with the times, but they never fail to utter "Those were our good, old days!" to ensure a strong flavour of nostalgia.

If Ernest Hemingway were to live today to observe these elders, his Old Man And The Sea may have emerged differently. There are whole hordes of 'old men and women' battling challenges heaped on them, which equate the challenges faced by Hemingway's Old Man in his classic, which was awarded the Pulitzer Prize for Fiction in 1953, and the Nobel Prize in Literature in 1954.

The story is set in the Gulf Stream off the coast of Havana featuring an old man, a young boy and a huge fish that the elder is set on catching while far out in the open sea all by himself. He wants to assure himself that his natural faculties are still the same as in his glorious younger days as a fisherman. The story is a timeless vision of the beauty and grief of mankind's challenge to the elements - all the more so when it is an elder facing the challenges, and overcoming them.

"Only, I have no luck anymore. But who knows? Maybe today. Every day is a new day. It is better to be lucky. But I would rather be exact. Then when luck comes, you are ready," the old man charges himself up while pursuing an 18-feet-long shark that is two feet longer than his modest boat.

One needs to read the book to find out the climax, although the victory of the old man is not so much in catching the fish as in overcoming the challenges he faces while on the hunt.

The elders today - women and men, and probably without even knowing it - are reflecting that very resilience of Hemingway's old man. But the challenges are not nature's elements, but ones that we ourselves bow down to adopt - the galloping technological progress.

Hemingway's old man's metaphoric statement, however, stands out: "Man is not much beside the great birds and beasts. Still I would rather be that beast down there in the darkness of the sea." Much in that sense, the elders today are not cowing down to tech progress and challenges; a significant number among their segment is stretching out their arms and embracing it.

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BOLLYWOOD AND BEYOND

TUNING IN
Bindu & Ambi Subramaniam

(The authors run SaPa - the Subramaniam Academy of Performing Arts)

THAT most commercial music in India stems from Bollywood is a fact. Most estimates place the money earned from Hindi film music at 80% of the entire country's music revenue! Revenue aside, Bollywood music has so often been the music that has caught the nation's imagination, making people laugh and cry along with their favourite superstars. It's completely secondary that many of the said superstars sing with the same voice, and in the early days of Bollywood, people may not even know what the actual singer would look like.

In Bollywood movies, songs are integral to the plot, pushing the story forward in some way, and of course a well-placed item song can do wonders for box office collections. Most film songs use the language as its spoken - colloquial Hindi sometimes with elements of Urdu, Punjabi, English and other languages.

We've heard many Indie musicians refer to it as 'Big Bad Bollywood', the thing that is suppressing new and fresh music from coming out, but the truth is, Bollywood is not just a genre in and of itself but is encompasses all other genres too. When a trend or style of music becomes popular, it finds its way into Bollywood. From bhangra to rap, to classical, to devotional, to ballads to Rabindra sangeet, to blues to rock, Bollywood has had it all in different times and spaces. Bollywood trends change and new patterns emerge, but the industry has remained strong for a very long time and isn't going anywhere in the near future.

Being a Bollywood singer isn't an easy thing. You need to be able to sing songs across ranges and genres and learn them very quickly. You need to be able to take a music director's idea and make it your own, while still representing the actor who will be portraying the song on the screen. For those to aspire to be Bollywood singers, there is no surefire way to enter the industry (though reality shows may claim to be the way - just look at how many contestants are churned out every year and see how many are able to make careers in the industry). It is, however, very helpful, if you want to have a sustained career in Bollywood (or elsewhere) to have a strong foundation in some style of music. Many of the top Bollywood singers have a background in Indian classical music and insist that regular practice and skill building is critical.

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'AWWW' MOMENT

Olympiad swimmer Nisha Millet was in for a sweet surprise recently at the launch of a wellness sojourn at The Taj West End, when a young girl came up to her, curious about the swimmer and sports. Sharing her personal interests, she happily conversed with Millet, which was followed by some quick photo sessions. VINOD KUMAR T

CITY READ

Credai launches Women's Wing chapters in Karnataka

Real-estate body Credai Karnataka launched five new Credai Women's Wing (CWW) chapters across Karnataka. The five new chapters announced are CWW- Bengaluru, CWW-Belagavi, CWW - Bidar, CWW- Kalaburgi and CWW- Mysore. On the same occasion, entrepreneur Uzma Irfan was announced as the Convenor of Credai's Women's Wing of Karnataka, along with five Chapter coordinators of their respective CWW Chapters.

Numero Uno introduces colour block tees

Numero Uno, an indigenously manufactured denim label is launching a harmonious union of colours in their T-Shirts and Polo range. From Red and white to Yellow and black – the collection aims to synchronize fun hues fore-playing minimalism. It is also introducing a vintage and sporty vibe to the range with a fusion of logo and symbols that strikes modern fashion. The collection is suitable for ideal fit during sunny days and summer evenings. Available on Amazon, Myntra, Shopper's Stop etc.

LOVEOLOGY
Mahesh Natarajan

Freedom of choice

HERE in South India, birthdays or anniversaries are often celebrated in a running count. That means India is "75 running" this August. For a country that woke into its freedom in the middle of the night amidst the turbulence of partition, it is certainly something very special. Days such as our Independence Day bring up a whole bag of emotions, and that includes taking the time consider the idea of India, who we wish to be, who we are becoming and how we might want to course correct. You might see this as debates on TV channels across languages on and around August 15.

One part of us might be cynical about the whole thing as just as another exercise in chasing Television Rating Points, but there will likely be other parts that are quite engaged and really keen on taking the time to consider things, appreciate the freedoms we have, worry about the freedoms that are getting eroded and reassert the idea of India. Freedom is won with great difficulty and lost easily. Unless we take the time to check-in and verify where we are and which way we are going, we cannot be assured that we would not just get lost.

In our relationships with our loved ones too, it is just as risky to let it run as it will, without checking-in. Relationships are a delicate balance between freedom and responsibility.

Is the relationship working for everyone in it? Or, is the relationship built on facilitating one person's freedom to become whoever they can, while the rest take all the trouble and toil, without consideration to their own freedom? Is sacrifice of one person taken as a given, while others may not even be expected to curtail any freedom? Is there a payback at any time? Is the promise of gratitude at the fag-end of life sufficient enough a promise? Should some always suffer so that others might have a chance at greatness? Can everyone have a chance to fully and freely be all that they can be?

Any relationship can quickly become exploitative, whether it is in the family, in a community or for all of us as a nation. What might seem only fair at the beginning might quickly turn out to be patently unfair over time. A person agreeing to quit work to take care of elders in the family for a little while might find that it becomes years and decades while others are forging ahead in that time, or someone taking a break might insist on others continuing to enable that. If we don't check-in often, raise the red flags early and ask for accountability, we might lose what we have and not really have much of a recourse.

Whether it is Independence Day or a romantic anniversary welcome the debate. Check-in with each other. We are each only as free as everyone else, whether it is individuals in love, or the individual Indian and the idea of India.

(The author is a counsellor with InnerSight)

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SHIVARAJKUMAR-RAM DHULIPUDDI FILM TITLED

The project is to be officially launched today with Puneeth Rajkumar and Sudeep in attendance as special guests. Shivanna sports a new look for this romantic-emotional drama that also stars Mehreen Pirzada

A SHARADHAA

SHIVARAJKUMAR has gone through a complete makeover for his 124th project, which is titled *Nee Siguvaregu*. The Century Star of Sandalwood has taken up a young avatar for the film, which is evident from the first-look poster and the exclusive stills the makers have shared with *CE*. Shivanna is seen in a vibrant t-shirt sporting a new hairdo in the stills, which will surely surprise his fans.

Shivanna is teaming up with the debutant director Ram Dhulipudi for this romantic emotional drama, which is bankrolled by Balasreeram Studios. The project will be officially launched in a grand event today with Puneeth Rajkumar and Sudeep in attendance as special guests. The makers will also be unveiling the title and first-look poster of the film.

Shivanna will be seen in two different looks in the film including the role of an army officer. Mehreen Pirzada, known for her Telugu and Tamil movies, is making her debut in Kannada with *Nee Siguvaregu*. The film also stars Nassar, Sampath, Sadhu Kokila, and singer-actor Mangalik in pivotal roles. Music director Charan Raj and cinematographer Mahendra Simha, who worked with Shivanna in *Tagaru*, are again teaming up with the actor for *Nee Siguvaregu*. The film also has Ravi Santhehaiklu and Deepu S Kumar taking care of the artwork and editing respectively.

The film, jointly produced by Narala Srinivas Reddy, Swathi Vanapalli, and Srikanth Dhulipudi, and will have Kudupudi Vijaykumar spearheading the project.

Meanwhile, the Karunada Chakravarthy of Sandalwood is currently one of the busiest actors in the industry with many projects in his kitty. The *Bhajarangi 2* hero has almost completed shooting *Bhairagee* post lockdown and has just one song left to wrap up the shoot. He will now begin shooting for *Nee Siguvaregu* on August 18.

Mehreen Pirzada

Shivarajkumar

BENGALUR BOYS ON THE MOVE

A still from film

The first schedule of the multi-starrer, directed by Raj Surya, was wrapped up

A still from film

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Director Raj Surya of *Londonahalli Lambodara* fame has wrapped up the first schedule of his second film *Bengalur Boys*. The team had planned to begin shooting by the end of March 2020, but the pandemic has delayed the project by several months. However, the film went on floors recently, and the makers have quickly wrapped up a significant portion of the film.

The multi-star cast film has *Happy Birthday* actor Sachin Cheluvarayaswamy, *Bigg Boss Kannada* Season 7 contestant Chandan Achar, Rohit of *Face to Face* fame, and serial artiste Abhishek in the male lead roles. On the other hand, it features Vainidhi Jagdish as the heroine. In addition to that, the film also has Chikkanna in a prominent role. The makers shared a few stills from the romantic drama featuring the lead actors. The film, bankrolled by Vikram K Yallayya under V Movie Makers, has All Ok composing music and Rijo P John handling the cinematography. The team has planned to begin the second schedule in September.

Mahesh Manjrekar's next titled *White*, poster out

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Mahesh Manjrekar

Sandeep Singh and Raaj Shandaliyaa will back Mahesh Manjrekar's new directorial, *White*. The film will be jointly produced by Legend Global Studio and Thinkink Picturez. The makers are aiming for a Dussehra 2022 release.

The poster of White was released today, on Mahesh's 63rd birthday. "I have been living with this story for almost a decade and now finally *White* got its colour when these two passionate filmmakers Sandeep and Raaj joined me in making my dream project," Mahesh Manjrekar said. "I am excited with their belief in me and I can't wait to begin giving White its true colour." Producer Sandeep Singh, Legend Global Studio, shared, "The distance between dreams and reality is action. I took one today by joining the hands with Mahesh. I never stop dreaming and neither does Mahesh. Happy to be a part of his dream and journey." Mahesh and Sandeep are also collaborating on Swatantra Veer Savarkar, a biopic of *Veer Savarkar*.

Danny DeVito to write a Penguin story for DC Comics

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DC Comics has announced that actor Danny DeVito, who famously played Oswald Cobblepot a.k.a *The Penguin* in 1982's Batman Returns, will write a comic story about the infamous Batman villain. The announcement was made in DC's magazine DC Connect #16. Marking his comics author debut, DeVito's story will be a part of DC Comics upcoming special anthology comic series titled Gotham City Villains Anniversary Giant, which will bring together comic storytellers to celebrate the villains of Batman. Notably, the upcoming November's Gotham City Villains Anniversary Giant #1 will mark 80 years since the first appearance of Penguin in the comics.

PRACHI DESAI JOINS *FORENSIC*

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Prachi Desai has joined the cast of *Forensic*. Directed by Vishal Furia, the film is a Hindi remake of the 2020 Malayalam release. It stars Radhika Apte and Vikrant Massey in the lead. Forensic went on floors recently.

The film is co-produced by Soham Rockstar Entertainment and Mini Films. Prachi, who last appeared in the thriller *Silence..Can You Hear It?*, said, "I am so happy to be a part of (*Forensic*). Vishal has a very interesting vision and palette for the project. And I play a part that I have never quite attempted before. It is exciting that writers and directors are penning projects that are so unique. I have always admired Radhika and Vikrant's work and I am so happy to be working with them. Feeding off each other's energies while adhering to the vibe of the film and the story is what makes a film great. I can't wait to get on set and start shooting with them."

Prachi Desai

RITEISH, TAMANNAAH TEAM UP FOR NETFLIX'S *PLAN A PLAN B*

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Netflix has announced on Monday that Riteish Deshmukh and Tamannaah Bhatia will be teaming up for a romantic comedy titled Plan A Plan B. Directed by Shashanka Ghosh, best known for directing Khoobsurat and Veere Di Wedding, the film will feature Poonam Dhillon and Kusha Kapila in supporting roles.

Written by Rajat Arora, Plan A Plan B tells the story of a matchmaker who believes marriage is for everyone except herself, and a successful divorce lawyer with a secret, who cross paths, and explores if opposites coexist or attract. The film will be produced by India Stories Media & Entertainment in association with Funk Your Blues Entertainment.

Riteish was last seen in the Tiger Shroff-led actioner Baaghi 3, and he has another Netflix original titled Kakuda, co-starring Sonakshi Sinha and Saqib Saleem, in the pipeline. On the other hand, Tamannaah has multiple projects in different stages of production, including Maestro, Seetimaarr, F3, and Gurthunda Seethakalam in Telugu, and Bole Chudiyan Film in Hindi